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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	4,00,00,000
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PAID-UP ON 19-5-20	59,00,042

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PAID UP CAPITAL	10,00,000
RESERVE FUND	97,407

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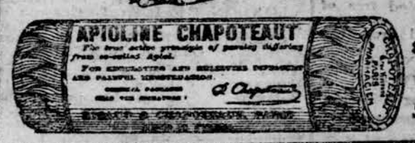

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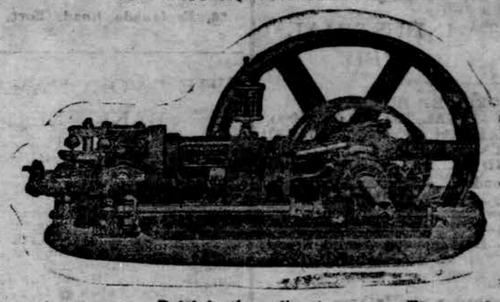

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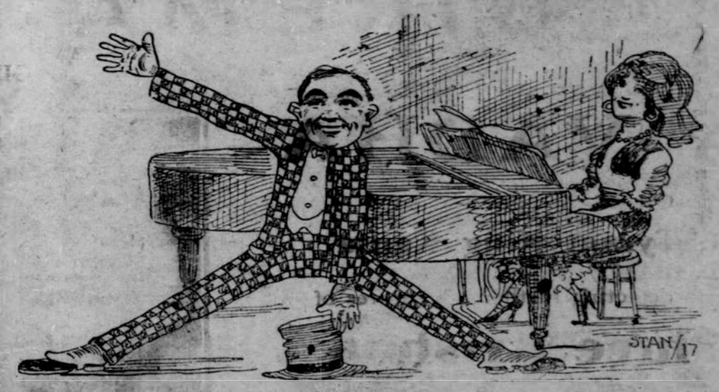

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2. Copies of the conditions of the lease can be obtained from the undersigned on payment of two Rupees per copy.

3. No samples from the quarries will be supplied to the tenderers.

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CHIEF ENGINEER,
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SALE OF A VALUABLE AND EXTENSIVE PROPERTY AT MAZAGO

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The property is held under a lease from the Secretary of State for India for 99 years from the year 1872. The same admeasures no less than 30,774 yards more or less. It is within reach of the two Railways and the Mazagon Tram Terminus is at its corner. It has extensively wide frontages the Mazagon Road, Matarpakhadi Road, Dockyard Road and the Gunpowder Road. A very wide newly constructed Road passes through this property giving two more wide frontages.

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DESCRIPTION:—All that piece or parcel of that land or ground with the messuages, tenements, bungalows, outhouses, standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Mazagon, outside the Fort of Bombay, in Registration Sub-District of Bombay, assessed by the Collector of Assessment under Old No. 3 and New No. 16232 and by the Assessor of Municipal Taxes under Street Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4-12-65-67, and bounded as follows:—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Gunpowder Road, on or towards the West by the Mazagon Road, towards the North by Matarpakhadi Road and on or the South by Dockyard Road.

The land with the building or buildings thereon, situated at Mazagon, in the Island of Bombay, and containing by admeasurement 30,774 yards or thereabout.

Before going to the Court for sanction the intending purchaser will be required to deposit with the Trustees a further sum of Rs. 40,000 (forty thousand), which will be a conditional precedent to the application for sanction. If the offer is not approved of by the Trustees, or the same is not sanctioned by the Court the amount of deposit will be returned without deduction.

By order of the Trustees.

V. P. PURANIK.
Secretary.
Tulsidas Gopalji Charity.
Girgaum No. 1.
2104

BY ORDER OF THE MINISTRY OF MUNITIONS DISPOSAL BOARD LONDON.

SALE OF STEAM AND MOTOR LAUNCHES.

OFFERS are invited for the purchase of the following Steam and Motor Launches surplus to Government requirements in Mesopotamia now available for immediate delivery in the Port of Basrah:

TOWING LAUNCHES.

Known as T. L. 5 "Terrier," T. L. 6 "Setter," T. L. 20 "Arno," T. L. 24 "Miranda" and T. L. 27 "Adra." Overall dimensions 55 to 65 ft. long by 10ft. 6ins. by 4ft. Draught 3 to 4 ft. Speed 8 knots. Twin Screw. 4-Cylinder engines, 2 sets, 10-16 H.-P.
Hulls and engines in good condition.
Original cost Rs. 40,000 each.

STEAM LAUNCHES.

Known as L. 6 (Built 1915), L. 63 (Built 1917), L. 69 (Built 1916), L. 73 (Built 1915), L. 98 Steam Pinnace (Built 1918), L. 101 (Built 1915). Overall dimensions 50ft. by 10ft. by 5 ft., 6incs. Draught 3ft. to 3ft. 6ins. Speed 9 knots, 2-Cylinder engines, 8-16 H.-P.
Hulls and engines in good condition.
Original cost Rs. 25,000 each.

L. 79 "Sitiphon." 51ft. 9 ins. by 11 ft. 7 ins by 5ft. 6ins.
Draught 3 ft. Speed 8½ knots.
2-Cylinder engine.
Cost Rs. 19,000.

L. 80 "Watana Harim," 62 ft. 6 incs. by 13 fts by 5 ft. 9 ins.
Draught 4 ft. Speed 9 knots.
2-Cylinder engine.
Cost Rs. 35,000.

L. 85 "Tana," 45 ft. 6 ins. by 9 ft. 2 ins. by 2 ft. 9 ins.
Draught 1 ft. 6 ins. Speed 6/7 knots, (Built U. K. 1918.)
Cost Rs. 35,000.

L. 71 "Ethel," 79 ft. 4 ins. by 12 ft. 8 ins. by 6 ft
Draught 4 ft. 6 ins. Speed 12 knots.
6-Cylinder, 21-H.-P. engine.
Cost Rs. 70,000.

MOTOR LAUNCHES.

M. 32, M. 52 and M. 53. Length 22 to 26 ft. Speed 7 knots. 2-Cylinder, 6/8 H.-P. engine. Fitted with awnings, etc.
Cost £400 each.

M. 238 (Built 1917) 25 ft. long. Speed 7 knots. 2-Cylinder, 13/15 H.-P. Kelvin Engine. Fitted with awnings.
Cost £500.

M. 293 (Built 1917) 25 ft. long. Speed 9. 4-Cylinder, 10 H.-P., Ferro engine. Fitted with awning.
Cost £500.

M. 293 (Built 1917) 25 ft. long. Speed 9. 4-Cylinder, 10 H.-P., Ferro engine. Fitted with awnings and cushions.
Cost £500.

M. 79 and M. 296 (Built 1917) 25 to 30 ft. long Speed 8/9 knots. 4-Cylinder, 12/16 H.-P. Scripps engine. Fitter with awnings.
Cost £550 each.

M. 380 27 ft. Speed 7 knots. 2-Cylinder, 14 H.-P. Parsons engine. Fitted with awnings and cushions.
Cost £550.

M. 46 26 ft. Speed 9 knots. 4-Cylinder. 12/14 Kelvin.
Cost £600.

M. 389 (Built 1917) 20 ft. Speed 9 knots. 4-Cylinder 20 H.-P. Wolsley.
Cost £600.

M. 520, 35 ft. Speed 8½ knots. 2-Cylinder 16/18 H.-P. Standard engine.
Cost £650.

M. 197 (Built 1917) 20 ft. Speed 7½ knots. 4 Cylinder, 20-H.P. Vickers-Wolsley.
Cost £600.

Offers, in Rupees, should reach the Office of the Commissioner, on or before the 30th July, 1920.

Cable offers will be accepted, address "DISPOSABS" Baghdad.

Local agents can inspect on application to the Fleet Registrar Inland Water Transport Headquarters Basrah.

Offers will only be accepted for vessels as at present standing but Commissioner Disposal Board will undertake to place on board ocean steamer at purchaser's expense.

Enquiries for the purchase of other class of River Craft should be addressed to the undersigned. Prospective purchasers are invited to make nown their requirements.

THE COMMISSIONER,
Ministry of Munitions Disposal Board, Baghdad.
2646

PUBLIC NOTICES

(A Copy of this Prospectus is filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.)

The All-India Steamship Company, Ltd.

(Registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1913.)

CAPITAL . . . . . RS. 50,00,000.

(With power to increase.)

Divided into 5,00,000 shares of Rs. 10 each, payable as follows:—
Rs. 2-8-0 on Application.
Rs. 2-8-0 on Allotment.

The balance of Rs. 5 to be paid by a call as the Directors may decide but such call shall not be made before 6 months from the date of allotment.

DIRECTORS:

* H. A. H PAYNE, Esq., Messrs. PAYNE & Co., Solicitors, Bombay, Chairman.
* (being in London not on Board now but will join immediately on return.)
Capt. J. C. RICHARDS, A.I.N.A., Messrs. ERICSON & RICHARDS, Bombay.
LAKHMIDAS RAOJEE TAIRSEE, Esq., Messrs. LAKHMIDAS & Co., Importers & Exporters, Bombay.
NANU N.BHARUCHA, Esq., Messrs. NANU N.BHARUCHA & Co., Coal Merchants, Bunkering & Shipping Agents, Bombay.
SULAIMAN HASHIM SOWDAGAR, Esq., Shipowner and Shipbuilder, Bombay.
C. B. BANKS, Esq., (Ex-Officio.)

BANKERS:
THE EASTERN BANK, LIMITED.
THE INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

AUDITORS:
Messrs. S. B. BILIMORIA & CO., Esplanade Road, Bombay.
Messrs. FRAMROZE R. MERCHANT & Co., Hornby Road, Bombay.

SOLICITORS:
Messrs. PAYNE & Co., 54, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

MANAGING AGENTS:
Messrs. THE SOWDAGAR DOCKYARD, LIMITED, Bombay.

REGISTERED OFFICE:
BARIA MANSIONS, CARNAC ROAD, BOMBAY.

PROSPECTUS.

This Company has been formed for the purposes mentioned in the Memorandum of Association but primarily for undertaking the business of Indian Coastal Shipping both for cargo and passenger services. It is also intended at an early date to engage in cargo service between Indian and foreign ports.

A serious obstacle to the proper development of India's trade has been her total dependence on foreign tonnage for the transportation of all merchandise. It is now time that India should take into her own hands at least such portion of the carrying trade of the country as pertains to coastal lines. This is the more urgent as the recent industrial activities have developed a large volume of exports and imports and will lead to an ever-increasing volume in the future.

The prospects for a coastal service are bright and assuring, according to the "Review of the Trade of India for the Year 1918-19" published by the Department of Statistics of the Government of India. "The imports and exports of merchandise and treasure, excluding stores and treasure on Government account, were valued at Rs. 157 Crores, an increase of 30 per cent. over the preceding year and 43 per cent. over the pre-war quinquennial average." Bombay alone accounts for 30 per cent. in the increase in the total coastal trade of India. The supply of tonnage has, however, not been adequate to the growing demands of coastal trade. The report above quoted mentions that "The total tonnage of vessels, excluding native craft, that entered and cleared certain cargoes in the coasting trade in 1918-19 was 9,876,000 tons as against 9,626,000 in the preceding year and 28,887,000 the pre-war average." An increase by 43 per cent. in the volume of trade and a decrease of about 60 per cent. in the tonnage available at present is a disspiriting feature indeed—and every effort made to mend this condition of things will be both a service to the cause of Indian trade, and a sound business proposition.

At the present time country craft, with a deadweight capacity of about 4,000,000 tons, are engaged in the Indian coastal trade. Shippers, however, have a natural preference for the transportation of their goods by steamers, even, if it need be, at a considerably higher rate of freight, in so far that transportation by steamers affords greater safety and immensely increased facilities for insurance, finance and turnover of the cargoes. The gradual replacement of country craft by steamers opens an immense field with ample opportunity for development on sound lines.

Besides coastal trade there is great scope for additional passenger service between the West Coast ports. The passenger traffic is rapidly increasing and the service available at present is quite inadequate to cope with the increasing demand, as may be seen from the fact that large numbers of passengers are frequently obliged to wait a considerable time before they can secure accommodation. All over India there is a very pressing demand for a speedier and more comfortable service, and particularly so on the Western Coast with Bombay as the centre. In the year 1918-19 nearly 14,50,000 coastal passengers were conveyed to and from Bombay alone and the traffic is ever increasing.

Experts have estimated that the expenses of running a group of four passenger steamers would be about 66 per cent. of the gross earnings and that the margin of 33 per cent. will be sufficient to yield a handsome dividend, after setting aside adequate funds for depreciation, reserve, etc., Rs. 20,00,000 being taken in the above estimate as the price of four steamers, at the present market rate, as a basis for calculation. Details of the aforesaid calculation can be obtained at the office of the Company.

In the absence of adequate tonnage in the coastal cargo service and in the absence of any competition whatever, the present rates for cargo freights are calculated to yield a higher return.

It is proposed to start a regular service along the Western Coast of India, viz., Bombay, Goa, Mangalore, Gulf of Cutch, Bhavnagar, etc., etc., both for cargo and passenger traffic. One of the members of the firm of Managing Agents is now in England and is negotiating for the acquisition of vessels suitable for the special requirements of this trade.

An agreement will be entered into with Messrs. The Sowdagar Dockyard, Ltd., by which they will be appointed Managing Agents of the Company for a period of 30 years according to the terms of the Agreement. The Managing Agents' remuneration has been fixed at Rs. 1,000 per month and a commission of 10 per cent. on the net profits of the Company after payment of necessary allowances and deductions from revenue for working expenses chargeable against profits, but before all other deductions such as Depreciation, Reserve Fund, Income Tax or other Taxes of Government, etc., etc.

The Company is fortunate to have secured as a Director of the Company the services of Captain J. C. Richards, A.I.N.A., whose wide experience in all matters appertaining to shipping is well known.

Mr. S. H. Sowdagar, another Director, belongs to a family in which shipping has been hereditary, and who were the founders and former proprietors of the Shepherd Line.

The preliminary expenses are estimated to be Rs. 20,000.

The qualification of a Director is the holding of a minimum of 400 shares. Every Director will be paid not more than Rs. 100 for every meeting of the Board attended by him and for any special service a Director may render to the Company he shall be entitled to additional remuneration to be agreed upon by the Board of Directors.

Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying the prospectus and should be forwarded to the Company's Agents together with a deposit of Rs. 2-8-0 per share. If no allotment is made to the applicant the application money will be returned, and in case the full number of shares applied for is not allotted the balance will be applied towards the amount payable on allotment. Failure to pay the instalment on the shares allotted when due will make the previous payments liable to forfeiture.

The Articles of Association provide for a commission not exceeding 5 per cent. for placing the shares of the Company.

The minimum subscription on which the Directors will proceed to allotment is 50,000 shares.

Mr. S. H. Sowdagar is interested in the promotion of the Company, being one of the members of the Managing Agents' firm, and Mr. H. A. H. Payne is interested to the extent that he is a partner in the firm of Messrs. Payne & Co., the Solicitors of the Company.

The Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and a copy of the agreement to be entered into by the Company with the Agents can be seen at the registered office of the Company during office hours.

Prospectus and application forms can be had from the Agents, Messrs. The Sowdagar Dockyard, Ltd., Carnac Road, Bombay.

This prospectus has been duly filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Bombay, the 13th day of July, 1920.

(Sd.) SULAIMAN HASHIM SOWDAGAR.
(Sd.) LAKHMIDAS RAOJEE TAIRSEE.
(Sd.) NANU N. BHARUCHA.
(Sd.) A. G. ROBERTSON,
for J. C. RICHARDS.
(Sd.) CHAS. B. BANKS.

This form should be sent entire to the Company's Office.

The All-India Steamship Company, Limited.

No.

TO
THE DIRECTORS,
THE ALL-INDIA STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.,
CARNAC ROAD,
BOMBAY, 3.

GENTLEMEN,

I/we beg to hand you herewith the sum of Rs.....being deposit of Rs. 2-8-0 per share on.....shares in the abovenamed Company of the nominal value of Rs. ten each and I/we request you to allot me/us that number of shares and I/we agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me/us and to pay the further instalment of Rs. 2-8-0 on allotment and the balance of call of Rs. five (to be paid not before six months after the incorporation of the Company) due in respect of the said shares as and when called upon in accordance with the terms of the Articles of Association and I/we authorise you to register me/us as the holder of the shares allotted to me/us hereunder. Your acceptance of this is not binding upon you and the shares as subscribed by me/us herein may not be allotted to me/us and in that case I/we agree to get back a refund of the amount sent hereunder without interest.

Thanking you in anticipation,
Yours faithfully,

Name in full .....
Description .....
Address .....
Signature .....
Bombay 192

The All-India Steamship Company, Limited.

Authorised capital Rs 0,00,000 divided into 500,000 shares of Rs. 10 each.

No.....
Receipt of application deposit.

Received this.....day of.....1920 from.....of.....the sum of Rs.....being a deposit of Rs. 2-8-0 only per share on application for.....shares of Rs. 10 each in the abovenamed Company.

his receipt should be preserved for exchange in due course for share certificate.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

BEST OPPORTUNITY TO CAPITALISTS.

FOR SALE—My house, six storied, situated at Hornby Road, opposite Bhatia Bag, measuring about 260 yards, which is known as JADU RAGHU BUILDING. Intending buyers are requested to see Mr. Vithaldas Mawji at Holi Chakla from 8 to 10 in the morning and at Dubras and Co. 398, Kalbadevi Road, from 12 to 3 in the noon.

GORDHANDAS SUNDERDAS,
2768 (Jadavji Raghaji).

NOTICE.

WANTED—INFLUENTIAL AGENTS for the Sale of shares of running Tea Cos., either on decent commission or pay. Guarantee of business necessary. Apply stating experience, terms and other particulars to Box No. 885, Advt. Dept. "Bombay Chronicle." 2762

NOTICE.

SHIPPERS are hereby informed that the s.s. "Abydos" (to arrive from Calicut) will take cargo for Karachi and is expected to sail on or about the 5th of August, 1920. For rates and particulars please apply to the undersigned at 19, Bank Street, Fort, Bombay.

For and on behalf of The Indian and Peninsular Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.
PADAMSHINH NARSHIBHAI,
2783 Director.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. D. CHOTHIA & Co.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY INFORMED that we have no concern whatsoever with Messrs. CHOTHIA & Co., referred to in the Sessions Court case recently tried Re Emperer v/s Narayan Atmaram Jakhi.

D. CHOTHIA & Co.,
375, Hornby Road, Fort,
Bombay 22nd July, 1920. 2736

THE HIND BUTTON FACTORY & METAL WORKS, LTD.

LOST OR MISLAID.

AN ALLOTMENT LETTER No. 4 in respect of 100 shares of the HIND BUTTON FACTORY AND METAL WORKS, LTD., in the name of KAMALSEY DHARAMSEY has been LOST or MISLAID. Any claim in respect of these shares should be notified within one month to the Registered Office of the Company, at Bombay Cloth Market Building; Mangaldas Road; Bombay No. 2. Otherwise a duplicate allotment Letter will be issued to the abovenamed owner. 2754

NOTICE.

THE WADIA WOOLLEN MILLS, LD.

RE: OVER DUE CALLS.

WITH respect to calls on shares of the abovenamed Company, payment which has not been made by members on the ground that they have sold their shares, it is notified that such shares are liable to forfiture unless the calls in arrears are paid forthwith and that notwithstanding such forfeiture the members on whose name such shares stand on the register of shareholders, shall continue to be liable for payment of such calls together with all interest and expenses incidental thereto.

(Sd). PILANI WADIA HALAI & CO.,
Agents.
Bombay, 23rd July, 1920. 2774

ROYAL INDIAN MARINE SERVICE.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS for the half year ending 31st March, 1921, for the following will be received by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine at his office in the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay, up to 4 p.m. Standard Time on the dates specified :—

Particulars of Tenders. Date of opening Tenders.

Supplying articles of Provisions and Hospital necessaries. ..... 12th August 1920.

Supplying Miscellaneous Marine Stores. ..... 19th August 1920.

All Tenders must be sent by Registered Post. The quotations must be shown in words as well as in figures.

For particulars see Notice No. 3062 dated 29th July 1920 in the "Bombay Government Gazette" of the 22nd and 29th July and 5th, 12th and 19th August 1920 or apply to Marine Store Officer of this Dockyard.

(Sd.) EDWARD HEADLAM,
Captain,
Offg. Director of the Royal Indian Marine.
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NOTICE.

THE VIRGIN MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company will be opened from MONDAY, the 2nd day of August, 1920, and transfer forms with Documents of title will be accepted for transfer between the hours 11-30 a.m. to 2-30 p.m. on week days and between 11-30 a.m. to 1-30 p.m. on Saturdays.

BAPTIST & CO.,
Managing Agents.

Registered Office,
10, Homji St. Elphinstone Circle, Fort.
Bombay, 15th July, 1920. 2561

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all Suits between Sirdar Ganpatrao Vinayakrao Kibe, of Indore and his step brother Sardar Madhavrao Vinayakrao Kibe of Indore, are still pending. Any person taking in mortgage, sale, etc., any property from Sirdar Madhavrao Vinayakrao Kibe, or dealing with him in any way will do so at his own risk.

(Sd.) D. C. VIRKAR,
Vakil for Sirdar G. V. Kibe.
Girgaon, Bombay.
Dated 17th July, 1920. 2597

PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE MADRAS CLOTH MARKET, LTD.

THE SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company are now open. CALLIANJEE & SONS, Managing Agents, 420, Mint Street, Madras. 2620

NOTICE.

SEND your BROKEN FOUNTAIN and STYLO PENS TO PEN HOSPITAL and they will make them new.

HILTON & Co.,
2653 P. O. Box 801, CALCUTTA.

THE CALLIANJEE GINNING AND PRESSING, CO., LTD,

THE SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company are now open.

CALLIANJEE & SONS,
2761 Managing Agents.

BHAVNAGAR STATE RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited by the above-named Railway for the supply of Consumable Stores for a period of six months commencing from 1st October 1920. Copies of Schedules can be obtained on application at the Storekeeper's Office, Bhavnagar Para, on payment of Rs. 1.

Sealed Tenders (superscribed Tender for Consumable Stores) will be received at Bhavnagar Para by the Manager Bhavnagar State Railway, up to 12 noon on Thursday the 12th August 1920, and must be accompanied by an Earnest Fee of Rs. 100, to be returned in case the Tender is not accepted.

The accepted Tenderers will be required to make a Deposit of 10 per cent. of the estimated value of Stores to be supplied. The Deposit to be returned on the completion of the contract in a satisfactory manner, and to be subject to retention, in whole or in part, to cover any failure to correctly carry out the same.

The Manager reserves to himself the right to accept any Tender in whole or in part, and he does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender, the whole or in part.

All Stores should be exactly as per samples in Storekeeper's Office, which can be seen at that office at Bhavnagar Para.

K. R. VACHA,
Store-keeper.
Bhavnagar State Railway.
Bhavnagar Para.
Dated 21st July, 1920.
2773

THE WADIA WOOLEN MILLS, LTD.

NOTICE.

AT the meeting of the Board of Directors of the above Company held on 19th June, 1920, a call of Rs. 20 per share was made and it was determined that such call should be paid on 31st July, 1920, at the Registered Office of the Company.

Any call not paid by 31st July, 1920, will be liable to bear interest at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.

If the call is paid earlier than due date interest will be allowed thereon at 6 per cent. till due date.

The call shall be payable by such shareholders whose names appear on the Register on 30th June, 1920.

(Sd.) PILANI WADIA HALAI & CO.,
Agents.

P.S.—Gentlemen not having received notices up till now owing to non-delivery by postal authority or change of address not being intimated to the Company or any other cause are requested to pay up the call money notwithstanding when receipts will be passed to them. On their failure to do so, they would be liable for interest at 9 per cent per annum.

(Sd.) PILANI WADIA HALAI & CO.,
Agents.
Bombay, 17th July, 1920. 2670

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. N. H. MOOS, Esquire, the Receiver in Suit No. 612 of 1919 wherein MAHADEV RAGHUJI JAMBOOKER is the Plaintiff and SHAMSUNDAR HARIBHAU JAMBOOKAR, and others are the Defendants has contracted to sell to our clients the property more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written.

All persons having or claiming any estate, right, title, interest, claim or demand in to or upon or in respect of the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, gift, bequest, trust, charge, mortgage, sale, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes, Bombay and also to the undersigned at their office at No. 91-99, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within fourteen days from the date hereof, at the expiration of which period the sale shall be completed without any reference to such claim or claims (if any) as may not have been received before the expiry of the above time and the same will then be considered to have been waived.

SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate at Second Pathan Street, outside the Fort and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 78 2/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 2195, New No. 9273, Old Survey No. 1/400, 400, New Survey No. 5109 and assessed by the Municipality under C Ward No. 7870 Street No. 47-49 and bounded on the East by the sweeper's passage, on the West by the second Pathan Street aforesaid on the North by the house of Narhari Damodar Dhavle and on the South by the house of Shetiba Kashiba Gaikwad which said premises are in the occupation of the said Receiver and his tenants.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1920.

SABNIS & GOREGAOKER,
Purchasers Attorneys.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

PROSPECTUS.

THIS PROSPECTUS HAS BEEN DULY FILED WITH THE REGISTRAR OF JOINT STOCK COMPANIES, MADRAS.)

The Carnatic Paper Mills, Ltd.

(INCORPORATED UNDER THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT, 1913).

CAPITAL . . . . . Rs. 10,00,000

DIVIDED INTO 10,000 SHARES OF RS. 100 EACH. PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:—

Rs. 10 on application. **Rs. 15 on allotment.**

AND THE BALANCE IN CALLS AS AND WHEN REQUIRED OF RS. 25 EACH, PAYABLE AT INTERVALS OF NOT LESS THAN THREE MONTHS.

DIRECTORS.

1. M. R. Ry. S. KASTURIRANGA IYENGAR AVL., B.A., B.L., Proprietor, "The Hindu," Royapettah, Madras.
2. THE HON'BLE KHAN BAHADUR, A. K. G. AHMED THAMBY MARICAIR, Member, Legislative Council, Madras.
3. M. R. Ry. P. AIYANNAH CHETTY GARU, Merchant, Madras.
4. M. R. Ry. RAO SAHIB DR. U. RAMA RAU GARU, Medical Practitioner "Hawarden," Vepery, Madras.
5. M. R. Ry. V. RANGANADHAM CHETTY GARU, Proprietor, Ananda Press, and Messrs. Thompson & Co., Madras.
6. M. R. Ry. RAO SAHIB SOORA LUTCHMIAH CHETTY GARU, Merchant, Srirangam.
7. M. R. Ry. P. KRISHNA RAO PANTULU GARU, Retired Deputy Collector, Teynampet, Madras.
8. HORMUSJI NOWROJI, ESQ., B.E., A.M.I.C.E., Retired Sanitary Engineer to the Government of Madras, Chetput, Madras.
9. M. R. Ry. RAO BAHADUR V. ALWAR CHETTY GARU, Retired District Forest Officer, Kilpauk, Madras.

BANKERS:
THE TATA INDUSTRIAL BANK, LIMITED, MADRAS.
THE INDIAN BANK, LIMITED, MADRAS.

AUDITOR:
M. K. DANDEKAR, ESQ., B.A., A.S.A.A., F.M.U., Incorporated Accountant and Principal, Government, College of Commerce, Madras.

LEGAL ADVISERS.
MESSRS. VENKATASUBBA RAO AND RADHAKRISHNAIYA.

MANAGING DIRECTORS:
RAO BAHADUR V. ALWAR CHETTY AND MR. HORMUSJI NOWROJI.

REGISTERED OFFICE.
"WEXFORD HOUSE," KILPAUK, MADRAS.

Prospectus.

The Company has been formed for the purpose set out in the Memorandum of Association and chiefly with the object of erecting, equipping, and working in or near Madras, and at such other places as the Directors may think proper, a Mill or Mills of the most modern and approved type, for the manufacture of paper, paper-pulp and straw boards.

It is needless to mention how important and necessary an article paper is. It is an article of every day use and is used by everybody. And the spread of education throughout India is creating more and more daily the need for this important commodity, so much so, that we cannot think of progress and advancement of civilisation in the country with paper left out.

India consumes annually about 80,000 tons of paper of which she produces about 30,000 tons only in all her Mills; and for the other two-thirds of this necessary article she has to depend upon foreign countries. But if we consider the present state of affirs, it will be clear that the countries which were supplying us paper hitherto, are now faced with various difficulties such as shortage of raw materials, high prices, and increase in the cost of manufacture on account of labour unrest. And it is evident that foreign supply will not only fall short of our demand, but also the article cannot be had at pre-war prices. The latest information is that the paper situation is more acute than ever and that prices are now *six* times as high as before war and threaten to go higher.

Hence this is the most opportune time to utilize the entire resources of the country profitably in the development of this industry. It is a matter for regret that while other Presidencies in India are far advanced in this respect, we have not bestowed any thought on the subject although there are as many facilities in this Presidency in respect of the required raw material, etc., as in any other part of the country.

It has been decided to erect a Paper Mill in or near Madras and a supplementary mill at an out-station for manufacture of paper-pulp alone, which supplementary mill will be started as soon as the Government is pleased to afford facilities for the supply of bamboos from their forests. Offers have already been received for supply of the required machinery for manufacture of paper, paper-pulp and straw-boards; and it is expected that the mills will be in full working order in about 15 months.

The said mills will be erected and equipped to be able to manufacture 3 tons of paper, 1 ton of straw-board and 10 tons of paper-pulp per day; but at the same time they will be so constructed as to admit of further developments.

The Carnatic Paper Factory at Aminjikarai (about 2 furlongs beyond the Toll-gate, Poonamalle High Road, Madras) will be purchased as a going concern and will serve as the nucleus of the proposed mills. This is (so far as the Directors are aware) the only factory where straw-boards are manufactured in India and it has during the last two years been very successfully carried on by Rao Bahadur V. Alwar Chetty and Mr. H. Nowroji. It has been manufacturing paper-pulp and straw-boards, and among the purchasers of its products have been the largest Paper Mills in India and the Governments of Madras and Bombay. The results of the working of the Factory even with its limited capital have been very encouraging and it has been found that the Factory will not be able to meet the increasing demand of the country. Manufacture of straw-boards and paper-pulp will be continued on the existing lines of this Factory; and the import of required machinery for perfecting the manufacture of straw-boards is expected in about six months' time.

MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTION.

The minimum subscription on which the Directors may proceed to allotment is 500 shares.

AGREEMENTS.

The following agreements are to be entered into :—

1. An Agreement between Rao Bahadur V. Alwar Chetty and Mr. H. Nowroji, Proprietors of the Carnatic Paper Factory, of the one part, and the Company, of the other part, relating to the transfer by the said Rao Bahadur V. Alwar Chetty and Mr. H. Nowroji to the said Company, of the Carnatic Paper Factory as a going concern and all assets and liabilities of the proprietors of that business in connection therewith, in consideration of the sum of Rs. 20,000, one half of which is to be paid to the said vendors in cash and the other half by allotment of fully paid up shares. Of the said sum of Rs. 20,000, Rs. 10,000 is the amount agreed to be paid for the goodwill of the business proposed to be transferred and the balance of Rs. 10,000 represents the estimated value of the plant, machinery, stock in trade, leasehold, interest, shed, etc.

A lease was taken by the Factory, of a land and building at Aminjikarai, on 12th February 1918. It was for a period of 5 years and the unexpired portion of the lease is also to be transferred.

2. An Agreement between Rao Bahadur V. Alwar Chetty and Mr. H. Nowroji of the one part, and the Company of the other part, providing for their appointment as the Managing Directors of the Company for a period of ten years on the terms and conditions therein appearing. The remuneration payable to the said Managing Directors is a commission of 10% on the net profits of the Company after deducting interest on debentures or borrowed money but before taking anything to depreciation, reserve or other special account or for Directors' remuneration.

DIRECTORS' INTEREST.

Rao Bahadur V. Alwar Chetty and Mr. H. Nowroji are interested in the promotion of the Company as vendors of the aforesaid Carnatic Paper Factory and as the Managing Directors of the Company for a period of ten years. Apart from this no Director has any pecuniary interest in the promotion except in virtue of his office.

DIRECTORS' QUALIFICATION AND REMUNERATION.

The following are the provisions of the Articles of Association relating to the qualification and remuneration of Directors :—

The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of 50 shares in the Company.

Each Director shall be entitled to such sum as may be fixed by the Directors not exceeding the sum of Rs. 35 for every meeting of the Directors which he attends.

The Directors may employ any one of more of their number to do any special business for the Company and may remunerate any person so employed and such remuneration may be either in addition to or in substitution for the remuneration to which any such Director is entitled as Director. Additional remuneration may be paid to any Director or Directors for signing share-certificates or debentures issued by the Company.

The Company in general meeting may from time to time alter the remuneration of the Directors or direct such further remuneration to be paid to them, and may further direct that the same shall be divided among them in such proportions as it may think fit.

PRELIMINARY EXPENSES.

The preliminary expenses payable by the Company are estimated at Rs. 10,000 exclusive of Underwriters' commission and brokerage.

BROKERAGE.

The Company may pay brokerage at a rate not exceeding two per cent. upon accepted applications; and may underwrite the issue of shares at a commission not exceeding five per cent.

PROFITS.

It is believed that the net profit will be 20 per cent. of the capital outla This is the result of a very careful estimate.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company a n of the above agreements may be inspected at the office of the Managing Director f the Company, at any time during business hours.

A copy of the Company's Memorandum of Association is attached to the Prospectus and forms part of it.

Application for shares should be made upon the form accompanying this Prospectus and forwarded direct to the Managing Directors together with a remittance of the amount of the application money.

The issue of shares is subject to the condition that the certificates of the shares may not be completed and ready for delivery until six months after the allotment of the shares.

Where no allotment is made, the deposit will be returned in full, and where the number of shares allotted is less than the number applied for, the balance of the deposit will be applied towards the amount payable on allotment.

Failure to pay future instalments on shares allotted when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture.

Copies of Prospectus and forms of application may be obtained at the office of the Managing Directors.

Dated this 23rd day of July 1920.

A. T. MERICAIR.
S. KASTURIRANGA IYENGAR.
P. KRISHNA RAO.
HORMUSJI NOWROJI.
U. RAMA RAU.
V. ALWAR CHETTY.
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P. AIYANNA CHETTY.

The Carnatic Paper Mills, Limited.

No.....

(Incorporated under the Indian Companies Act, 1913.)

CAPITAL RS. 10,00,000.

To,

THE MANAGING DIRECTORS,
THE CARNATIC PAPER MILLS, LIMITED,
KILPAUK, MADRAS.

GENTLEMEN,

Having paid to the sum of Rs.
being a deposit of Rs. Ten per share in respect of shares of the above-named Company, I/we request you to allot me/us that number of shares and I/we hereby agree to accept the same or any smaller number that may be allotted to me/us upon the terms of your Prospectus dated the day of 1920 and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and I/we authorize you to place my/our name on the Register of Members of the Company in respect of the shares allotted to me/us. I/we also agree to pay the sum of Rs. Fifteen per share on allotment and the further instalments in accordance with the terms of the Prospectus.

Signature .....
Name in full .....
Address .....
.....
Occupation or Description .....
Date .....1920.

This form must be sent entire to the Managing Directors, Carnatic Paper Mills, Ltd., Wexford House, Kilpauk, Madras.

THE CARNATIC PAPER MILLS, Ltd.

No.....

RECEIPT FOR APPLICATION DEPOSIT.

Received *the*.....*day of*.....1920
from.....*the sum of*
Rupees.....*being a deposit of*
Rs. Ten per share on.....*shares in the*
above-named Company.
Rs......

Cashier.

Managing Director.

(This receipt must be preserved to be exchanged hereafter for a Share Certificate)

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Messrs. FRAMJISHAW KHARSEDJI MASTER, NADIRSHAW KHARSEDJI MASTER and BAHADURJI KHARSEDJI MASTER of Bombay, Parsi inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

All persons having or claiming any estate, right, title, interest, claim or demand unto or upon or in respect of the said property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes and to the undersigned at their office No. 11, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard or reference to such claim or claims and the same, if any, will be considered to have been waived.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground with the message tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being on the West side of Ardeshir Daday Street in the Registration Sub-district of and in the Island of Bombay containing by admeasurement 77 7/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 286, New No. 1943, Old Survey No. 2 and New Survey No. 7459 and in the books of the Collector of Municipal rates and taxes under D. Ward No. 1552 and Street No. 12 and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the West by Sweeper's passage, on or towards the North by the property of Putlibai widow of Nowroji Bhicaji Mistry and on or towards the South by the property of Mohanlal Parbhudas and Narottamdas Parbhudas and on or towards the East by the said Ardeshir Dady Street.

Dated this 23rd day of July 1920.

PURNANAND & CLUBWALLA
Purchasers' Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ABDEALLY JAFFERJI and SUKANBAI wife of JAFFERJI THAVERBHAI have contracted to sell to my client the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim or interest thereto or therein or in or to any part thereof either by way of gift, inheritance, mortgage, charge, lease, lien, trust or otherwise howsoever are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at his office at No. 65, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof; failing which the said sale will be completed without reference to any such claim or interest and the same, if any, will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax encumbered land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house and premises standing thereon situate, lying and being at Upper Mahim outside the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 714.70 square yards or thereabouts registered in th books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 80 and New No. C/3615, Old Survey No. 79 and New Survey No. 4/110 and assessd by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G Ward No. 575 (5) and formerly Street No. 235 D and now Street No. 235 F and bounded as follows:—that is to say on or towards the East by the property of Bhicaji Dhondoo Sawant, on or towards the West by the public passage, on or towards the North by the property of Francis DeSouza and on or towards the South by the public passage.

Bombay dated this 31st day of July 1920.

FAREDUN K. DADACHANJI,
Purchaser's Attorney.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that BAPUJI PALANJI DOCTOR has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client.

Any person having any claim or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise, is hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office in Cama Building, Bell Lane, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of vacant land or ground situate at Mount Marry Hill, Bandra, in the Registration Sub-District of Bandra, District Thana, containing by admeasurement 41 gunthas or 4,961 square yards or thereabouts (be the same more or less) and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Survey No. 7, F. No. 18, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by property belonging to Dr. D'Monte, on or towards the West by Government land, on or towards the North partly by property belonging to J. Walder and partly by property belonging to P. J. Dias and partly by property belonging to J. I. Pereira and on or towards the South partly by a passage and beyond that by property belonging to J. M. A. Pereira and partly by a passage leading to the Sea shore.

Dated this 23rd July, 1920.

JEHANGIR MEHTA & SOMJEE.
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MAHOMEDALLI ABDUL HUSSEIN GORIAWALLA has contracted to sell to our client the undermentioned property. Any person or persons having or making any claim against the said property by way of sale, mortgage, transfer, lease, gift, exchange, inheritance, possession, lien, or otherwise howsoever is required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 40, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof; otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claims and the same, if any, shall be considered to hav been waived.

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Under the instructions from D. D. Padamji Esqr., and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser Mr. E. R. Dotiwala of Cosmos Mansion, Tardeo Road, Messrs. CRAWFORD & CO., will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 28th July, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the premises of the Bombay Cycle and Motor Agency, Ltd., 16, Queen's Road, the following:—

11 (eleven) Brand New four seater Touring "Dodge" Motor Cars, complete with all accessories, including 1 Taximeter, Worm and Stands.

N.B.—A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF THE CORRUGATED SHEDS, SITUATED AT BELVEDERE ROAD, MAZAGAON.

Under instructions from Messrs. Payne & Co., Solicitors for Maruti Bhiwaji Pawa and Shivram Bhiwaji Pawa the mortgagees on account and risk of mortgagors Moinubbhand Abdul Rehman Bawa and Mahomed Ibrahim, Messrs. CRAWFORD & CO., will sell by public auction on SATURDAY, the 31st July, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. on the premises, the undermentioned corrugated sheds standing on the Municipal leasehold ground.

Corrugated sheds situated at Belvedere Road, Mazagaon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or plot of leasehold land situate at Belvedere Road, admeasuring 17,880 square feet, bearing New Survey No. 2/3601 obtained from the G. I. P. Railway Company for the term of 3 years, commencing from May 1019, at the monthly rent of Rs. 250-5-2 per month, with the sheds, etc., of the corrugated iron sheets, erected thereon and standing on the said land and bounded on the East partly by leasehold land of Fakirji Rustomji and partly of Mahitab Chand, West by Belvedere Road, North by the hill land, and South by Wadi Bunder Road, which premises are now in the possession of the mortgagors and their tenants.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Payne and Co.' Solicitors, or to the undersigned.

CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 24th July 1920.

J. S. MODY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

20, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 3409.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

AUCTION SALE ON FRIDAY, THE 30TH JULY 1920 AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.).

Messrs. J. S. MODY & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction on FRIDAY the 30th day of July 1920 at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at No. 45 Alexandra Road, New Gamdavi opposite the Savoy Club, very valuable dining, drawing and bedroom household furniture, etc., comprising Telescopic dining table, arm and armless chairs, handsome sideboard, dinner waggons, dumbwaiters, meatsafes, rich glass, porcelain and platedware, marble top tables, fancy teapoys, silver cabinets, tapestry, upholstered drawing room suite, handsome cabinets, rich Persian and English carpets, single and double bedstead, mirror door almirahs, clothes and gown presses, marble top dressing and wash-hand tables, bed-room chest of drawers, clothes basket, electric table fan, easy chairs, etc.

The property of A. FOSTER JOSEPH Esq. Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

J. S. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 24th July, 1920.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.

On Government and G. I. P. Railway Lists

TO SPECIAL INTEREST TO PIECE-GOODS MERCHANTS, CONSTITUENTS, AND TAILORS.

AUCTION SALE OF ALL THE STOCK IN TRADE OF A WOOLEN AND COTTON PIECE-GOODS SHOP.

On SUNDAY, the 25th instant at 2-30 p.m., (S.T.) Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will under the instructions from Seth Alimahomed Haji Suleman, sell by Public Auction all the stock in trade, such as white woolen surge, blue serge, ladies dress blue serge, jaffer, shirtings, purmatta, woolen cashmir, scotch tweed coloured cotton flannels etc., etc., of the piece-goods shop lately conducted in the name of Messrs. Haji Ebrahim Tyeb and Co. at Jakeria Masjid, Bhuj Moholla.

Above goods will be sold in lots convenient to buyers.

AUCTION SALE OF 66 BALES OLD MATHIA COTTON.

On MONDAY, the 2nd August at 5 p.m. Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction at Cotton Green, Colaba by order of Messrs. Purshotamdas Hansraj and Co. and on account and at the risk of Shah Velsi Kuma.

66 bales cotton old Mathia.

Above bales are lying in Muccadum Bhugwandas Dwarkadas Godown Slate A4.

MEHTA, & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 24th July, 1920.

MESSRS. MUSSAJEE JAFERAJEE.

Under the kind instruction received from the Officer Incharge Divisional Clothing Depot, Kirkee, Messrs. Mussajee Jafferjee Government Auctioneer will hold a public auction at Clothing Depot, Kirkee Arsenal on WEDNESDAY, 28th July, 1920 at 2 p.m. of the following Stores:—

A large quantity of Woolen and Cotton Army Clothing, Blankets Greatcoats, Shirts, Towels, Trousers, Coats, Pyjamas, Mosquito Curtain, Ammunition Boots Puttiranges, Jerseys Putties mittens warm, Socks, Razais and etc.

Conditions of sale will be read over on the spot.

Messrs. MUSSAJEE JAFERJEE,
Government Auctioneer.

Bombay, 24th July, 1920. 2765

SALES BY AUCTION.

BOMBAY AUCTION CO.

GOVERNMENT AUCTIONEERS,
23, Churchgate Street.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

THE BOMBAY AUCTION COY., in their premises No. 23, Churchgate Street, will have a Bona-fide Sale of Furnitures by the order of Party Concerned on FRIDAY, the 23rd July, 1920 at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.)

Furnitures such as:—

Drawing room, dining room, bed-room etc.

Drawing cabinet, drawing room set, sofa and chairs, centre table, teapoy, etc.

No. 23, Church Gate Street, Bombay.

Under instructions from Kashinath Narayan constituted Attorney for Messrs. Hijos de Manuel Alberola of Novelda (Spain) and on account and risk of defaulting purchasers Messrs. Mohanlal Keshavlal Messrs. Bhai-BAY AUCTION COMPANY will sell by public auction on TUESDAY, the 27th instant at 3 p.m. (S.T.) in Mirchi Gally, Mandvi at the shop of Messrs. Jagjivan Motichand one case pure Saffron (new crop) marked M. K. 58 containing 06 pounds of pure Saffron in 1lbs. nett tin.

BOMBAY AUCTION CO.,
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Bombay, 24th July, 1920.

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The British Medical Journal in commenting on the prophylactic measures advocated by Sir G. Newman, K. C. to the Health Ministry emphasises on strict "Daily attention to the Toilet of the nose and Throat."

Use, therefore, The Antiseptic Throat Paint, Gargle and Nasal Douche to prevent Influenza.

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool. July 20th:

	Bales:
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	10,000
" " Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	500
" " Sales of East Indian	...
" " Imports	...
Mid. American Spot	28.74
Egyptian F. G. F. Sakels	66.00
New York 11 a.m. (As known is in Liverpool at closing time) July	42.25
Oct.	35.14
Jan.	32.54
New Orleans 10 a.m. July	37.27
Oct.	34.43

Liverpool. July 21st:

	Bales:
Total Days Sales at Liverpool	7,000
" " Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	150
" " Sales of East Indians	...
" " Imports	...
Mid. American Spot	28.75
Egyptian F.G.F. Sakels	66.00
New York 11 a.m. (As known is in Liverpool at closing time) July	42.10
Oct.	34.11
Jan.	32.23
New Orleans 10 a.m. July	36.90
Oct.	34.02

OPENING TONE AND PRICE

Liverpool. July 21st.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's prices
July	25.78
Aug.	25.49
Sept.	...
Oct.	24.10
Nov.	...
Dec.	23.08
Jan.	22.66
Feb.	...
Mar.	26.98
April	...
May	21.29
June	...

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool. July 20th.

Months.	To-days price.
July	25.76
Aug.	25.49
Sept.	24.76
Oct.	24.11
Nov.	23.51
Dec.	23.02
Jan.	22.62
Feb.	22.36
March	21.98
April.	21.64
May	21.31
June	21.01

Tone:—Steady.
Manchester Market:—Larger demand.

Liverpool. July 21st.

Months	To-day's price.
July.	25.44
Aug.	25.16
Sept.	24.52
Oct.	23.82
Nov.	23.30
Dec.	22.83
Jan.	22.39
Feb.	22.06
Mar.	21.74
April.	21.41
May	21.09
June	20.79

Tone:—Barely Steady.

Liverpool, July 22nd.

Months:	To-day's price.
July	25.50
Aug.	23.82
Jan.	22.32
Mar.	21.69

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, July 20th

M.G. Bengal Good	9.75
" " Fully Good	10.50
" " Fine	11.00
" No. 1 Oomra Good	15.75
" " Fully Good	16.75
" " Fine	17.35
" Broach Good M.G.	19.60
" " "	20.10
" " "	20.60
" Broach Good	9.57
" " Fully Good	10.32
" " Fine	10.82

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" " Fully Good	10.32
" " Fine	10.82

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, July 22nd

Futures at New York July	43.50
" " Oct.	33.20
" " Jan.	30.75

MONEY MARKETS.

London, July 20th.

Rentes 3%	58 3/4
Bar Silver Spot	52 3/4
" 2 months hence	51 3/4

Closing Tone of Silver:—Firm but Quiet. Small supply India bought.
Discount, Bank of England Rate 7 per cent since 15th April 1920.

Discount Bank 3 m/st.	6 5/8
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	7
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	7 1/8
" " " 6 "	7 1/2
Bar Gold (per oz.)	107/9
Interest day to day loans	5
" 7 days market loans	5 1/2
Telegraphic Transfers	1/11
Consols 2½%	47
Rupee Paper 2½%	53
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loans	56
Government Securities 3 %	48 1/4
Ex. On London at Paris Francs	46.95

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	£78
Hongkong Bank	£120
National Bank	£51

London, July 21st.

Rents 3%	59
Bar Silver Spot	55 1/4
" 2 months hence	54 1/4

Closing Tone of Silver:—Advanced on Indian bazar buying. Small offering—Firm.
Discount, Bank of England Rate 7 per cent since 15th April 1920.

Discount Bank Bill 3 m/st.	6 5/8
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	6 15/16
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	7 1/8
" " " 6 "	7 1/2
Bar Gold (per oz.)	107/3
Interest day to day loans	4 3/4
" 7 days market loans	5 1/2
Telegraphic Transfers	—
Consols 2½%	47
Rupee Paper 2½%	53
Indian Stock—3½% Sterling Loans	55 7/8
Government Securities 3 %	48 1/4
Ex. On London at Paris...Francs	47.14

SHARES.

Chartered Bank	78
Honkong Bank	120
National Bank	51

WAR LOANS.

London, July 20th.

Founding Loan 4%	£89 3/4
Victory Loan 4%	£78
5% New	£85 3/4

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MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London July 20th:

WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe—62lb. Nominal	94
Australian—61lbs. Nominal	96

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore usual Bold July-Aug. Antwerp Nearest	28
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug Sellers	£27½
Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex Ship July-Aug. Quoted	£39½
Tone of Linseed:—Opened firm and dearer higher prices paid—closed Easier.	
Linseed, Argentine, (La Plate) July-Aug. Paid	£34
Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered per ton) Aug.-Sept. nearest	£11½
Toria Rapeseed.—July-Aug. Antwerp Quoted	£36

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£107
Standard Copper G.M.B.	£91½
Copper Braziers	£103
Yellow Metals	16
Hard Spelter	67
Corrugated Sheets	£66½

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Aug.-Sept.	89
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay Aug.-Sept.	90/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Karachi Aug.-Sept.	91

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Aug.-Sep.	1/11
Plantation First Latex Crepe Aug.	1/11½

London, July 21st.

WHEAT.

Rosario Santa Fe—62lb Nominal	94
Australian—61lbs. Paid	96

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore usual Bold July-Aug. Antwerp Sellers	£28
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug. Sellers	£27
Tone of Rapeseed:—Dull.	
Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug. Nearest	£38½
Tone of Linseed:—Opened dull and lower but closed steadier.	
Linseed, Argentine, (La Plata) July-Aug. Nearest	£33
Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered per ton) Aug.-Sept. Paid	£53
Toria Rapeseed.—July-Aug. Antwerp Sellers	£36

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RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Aug.-Sept.	1/11
Plantation First Latex Crepe August	1/11½

Tone:—Steady.

BEEF AND MUTTON TALLOW

London, July 21st.

Finest Australian Beef Tallow	60/6
" " Mutton "	65/6
General Tone of Tallow Auction	Flat.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(From our Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, July 23.

During the past week fluctuations have occurred in the home markets. In New York the July position declined 63 points and then advanced 149 points; while New Crop positions, viz., October and January, steadily advanced 88 points and 114 points respectively up to 20th instant. In Liverpool up to 20th instant, there was a steady gain of 98 points in July, 104 points in October, and 120 points in January. The latest cables to hand, i.e., the close of 22nd instant, show a nett advance on the week of 150 points in July New York, and a drop of 100 points and 67 points in October and January; while in Liverpool the nett advance of the week is 72 to 96 points. Trade in Liverpool has improved, and the weather in America has been less favourable. Reports are current of damage by boll weevil.

In the local market the highest price of the week for Fully Good Broach July-August, has been Rs. 440½ and the lowest up to 1 p.m. to-day, Rs. 425. This daily fluctuations have been about Rs. 3 to Rs. 5, and the tone of the market dull. Heavy stocks, and a poor offtake for ready cotton have had a depressing effect, and the advance in the Home markets has passed unnoticed. Bear speculators have continued to cover quietly. The quotation for ready Fully Good Broach has gradually been lowered during the week, and is now about Rs. 30 highed than the contract rate. The reduction of the ready rate is due to stapled cotton of all kinds being easier. Oomras for July and September kept fairly steady but are now easier, and Bengals for the same deliveries are also easier. Southerns have declined.

The ready market has been dull. The enquiry all round is poor, and even stapled cotton has been affected. Stocks of cotton are heavy and are estimated at about 1,300,000 bales in all hands, including mills. This will naturally be a drag on the market for some time to come as the principal buyer, Japan, is practically out of the market. Local mills are buying only for this immediate requirements. Exporters for Europe are purchasers occasionally, but in insufficient quantity to have any effect. The large cotton crop which has been market in India during the past season has been anything but a blessing except to mills.

Crop reports are fair. In some places the rainfall has been excessive, and in others more rain is required.

QUOTATIONS 6 P.M.

		Rs
Fully Good Broach	July	427
Fully Good Bengal	Jly	199
Fully Good Bengal	September	202
Fine Oomras	July	245
Fine Oomras	September	257
Good Southerns	July-Aug.	432

COTTON CONTRACTS BOARD.

QUOTATIONS 23RD JULY 1920:

		Rs
Fully Good M.G. Bengal	July	192
" " "	September	204
Fully Good M.G. Broach	July-Aug.	426
Fine M.G. Omras	July	248
" " "	September	259

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

Description.	Super fine.	Fine.	F.G.	Good	Delivery
M.G. Bengal	..	227	207	182	Ready.
M.G. Sind-Punjab	..	229	207	182	"
M.G. Oomras No. 3	302	267	227	..	"
M.G.Central P No. 1	377	342	312	..	"
M.G.Central P No. 2	342	307	272	..	"
M.G. Broach	..	475	455	440	"
M.G. Southerns	..	..	..	..	"
M.G. Dholleras	..	..	..	..	"
M.G.I Amenar P.	..	..	..	..	"

DAILY COTTON REPORT.

Bombay's 23rd July 1920.

American Rates Rulings Liverpool.

Jan—Feb.	Mar.—April.
22.39	21.74
—23	—24

May—June—July—August.
25 44
—32
Sept.—Oct.—Nov.—Dec.
23.83
—28

New York—New Orleans.

Jan.	32.16—41
July	42.50
Oct.	34.66—43
Dec.	32.91—39

Waidas in Marwadi-Bazar—July 426.

Broach open F.G.M.G.—close:

Bengal Open	193—206
Do. Close	....
Oomra Open	251—63
Do. Close	....

Our opinion. The ready market is dull.

Owing to the trading almost confined to jobbers. The market-prices in forward decline heavily, on heavy sales from them. We advice owe constituents to sell at any rate.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, July 22rd:

Market Rates:

Bank Telegraphic	1/10
Bank Demand	1/10 1/16
Acceptance 3m/s	1/11½
Fcs. Demand	410
American Dollars	224
Hongkong "	290
Shanghai	297
Japan	152
Singap	126

Market Steady.

BOMBAY-CHINA YARN MARKETS.

DAILY QUOTATION RATES.

July, 23rd 1920.

	per lb.	Rs as p
David	No.1(	1 2 6
Sapurji	No. 10	0 15 6
Curimbhai	No. 12	1 2 6
Sapurji	No. 64	0 12 3
Japan	No. 40/1	2 13 6
Do.	No. 42/2	2 9 6
Do.	No. 2/60	2 9 6

THE METAL MERCHANTS CO.

Issued rates for Brass and Copper Daily Quotations.

BRASS.

July, 23rd 1920.

	per md.	Rs. a. p
Brass	3/4	24 0 0
Do.	1	24 0 0
Do.	1½	24 0 0
Do.	1½	24 0 0
Do.	1½	24 0 0
Do.	2	24 0 0

COPPER.

	per Md.	Rs: a. p
Copper	3/4	25 0 0
Do.	1	33 0 0
Do.	1½	33 0 0
Do.	1½	27 0 0
Do.	1½	29 0 0
Do.	2	33 0 0
Japanese Copper Barrs		55 0 0
Panch teka joint		26 0 0
Copper English-Barrs		36 0 0
Brass-Barrs		40 0 0

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The Bombay wheat and Seeds daily Quotations Bazzar Rates.

Bombay, July 23rd 1920. 5-30 p. m:

Ready.	Bazaar Terms. Rs: a. p.	Rail. Delivery Rs a. p
Wheat White, Delhi 70-80	53 0 0	0 0 0
" " Cawnpore 70-80	54 0 0	0 0 0
" Karachi Bangla	54 0 0	0 0 0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	11 0 0	11 0 0
" " Cawnpore	11 0 0	11 0 0
" Yellow Cawnpore	12 0 0	12 0 0
Linseed, Brown Bold	15 10 0	16 4 0
" Khas	16 0 0	16 14 0
Teelseed, White 95-15	20 0 0	0 0 0
" " Galse 75-85	23 0 0	27 0 0
" " Galse 50-60	72 0 0	0 0 0
" " Black	67 0 0	14 0 0
Poppyseed, White	15 0 0	16 4 0
Groundnuts	75 0 0	0 0 0
Mowrneed	5 0 0	0 0 0
Barley	40 0 0	0 0 0
Castorseed	10 0 0	10 4 0
Cottonseeds	....	....
Forward:	Rs. a. p.	
Linseed Sept.	8 14 2	
Wheat Aug.-Sept.	10 9 3	

PETROLEUM.

THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY'S QUOTATIONS.

Snowflake	150°	at Rs.	11 0	per case
White Rose	150°	"	11 0 0	"
Chester	125°	"	10 12 0	"
Monkey	125°	"	8 8 0	"
Monkey Tins	125°	"	0 0 2	2 tins
Elephant Tins	125°	"	7 15 0	2 "
Elephant Bulk	125°	"	6 3 6	8 Imp. Gals

PIECE-GOODS.

BOMBAY, July 23.

A firmer tone has prevailed in the Cloth Market during the past week. The demand has not been brisk, but quite sufficient to give strength to the market. The inquiries from Delhi, Cawnpore, and Amritsar have been on a small scale, but other consuming centres, such as Marwar and Muthura have been rather active, and fair lines have been sold. As soon as the demand improves, the rates are expected to go still further up—Transactions amongst the merchants in the bazaar have been very few, as the attitude of sellers has been firm. Free buying has been checked by the higher level of values which are now ruling and any lots that may perchance be offered at some concessions are eagerly taken up by the buyers. Arrivals, have been on a fair scale and the fresh goods have been well distributed to various styles. The invoice prices of these cloths are eight to ten per cent. higher than the rates ruling here at present, but the quotations from Manchester show adisparity of twenty to thirty per cent., chiefly on account of the unfavourable rate of exchange. As China has been in active and out of the market at present, manufacturers are in need of orders and are more disposed to meet buyers in price, but merchants have been adopting a waiting policy in the hope of seeing lower values there or until prices rise to a higher level here. As the course of the monsoon has been favourable the revival of demand does not seem to be far off, which will help the dealers.

GREYS.

In Manchester Grey Shirtings, owing to light stocks and moderate demand, values have advanced by eight annas per piece, but they are still 25 per cent. less than the replacing costs. Heavy Shirtings have been out of the market an local mill cloths have been going instead. The partly between the rates of Manchester Shirtings and those of local mill cloths will be reached when the price of local Longcloths will be Rs. 2-4 per lb. At present local mill cloths are in brisk demand from up-country, and as stocks are low an increase in the rates is expected. Longcloths have been selling at Re. 1-14 to Rs. 2-2 and sheetings at Re. 1-12 to Rs. 2-0 and the mills are offering to sell at an anna per lb. less than these prices, against the last sale price of Re. 1-15-6 per lb. for longcloths.

Japanese cloths have been steady and fresh goods have arrived in small quantities.

WHITES.

A better feeling has been noticeable in White Goods all round. 39 inches by 20 yards Gold End Mulls have been in better request at Rs. 11-8, and it is expected that the price will reach Rs. 12 shortly, owing to scarcity of stock and purchases at high rates. 54 and 60 inches by 20 yards Glasgow Mulls have been in demand but the supply is scant. 58 inches by 20 yards Red End Mulls have been selling well and values have advanced. The inquiry for green end Mulls has been slack owing to the rate being on a high level. A lot of ten packages of "Motor Car" Nos. 58000 5820 Nainsooks has changed hands in the bazar at Rs. 6-8, although similar qualities of other firms have been quoted at a rupee per piece more.

The Mulji Jetha Cloth Market was the scene of a huge conflagration on Thursday night, about 500 shops having been destroyed by fire, causing considerable damage to goods and property for which the merchants will have to suffer heavy loss and inconvenience. Fortunately, the fire did not spread to the godowns which were close by.

The quotations for the leading Shops of Greys and Whites are as under:—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins.	Yds.	Rs a. p
Ralli's Fari No. 2000	39	× 37½/8	17 4 0
" 100000	45	× "	20 8 0
" No 33000	45	× "	17 8 0
" 2800	37	× "	14 8 0
Graham's No. 2730	39	× "	18 12 0
" "Yellow Horse"	43	× 38	....
" No. 2310	44	× 38½	....
Dewhurst's "BBB"	38	× "	20 12 0
" "BB"		"	22 8 0
" "Rupee No. 5	39	× "	22 8 0
Bates' No. 12838	41	× 37½/8	20 0 0
Bombay Co.'s No. 2580	44	× 38½	18 8 0
" No. 1500	39	× 37½/8	17 8 0
" No. 5500	38	× 37½/8	14 8 0
Ritchie's No. 510	39	× 37½/8	16 8 0
" " 4462	41	×	17 8 0
" " 1566	33	× 37/37½	16 8 0
Forbes' " 551	38	× 37½/8	....
Lyon's "Shunker"	39	× "	16 12 0
Fleming's No. 1905	48	× 38	22 8 0

GREY MULLS—

Ralli's No. 1030	39	× 16	....

GREY DRILLS—

Pepperell's "Dragon"	29	× 40	33 0 0
Ralli's Musjid No. 425	26	× 40	21 0 0
Mitsui's "Elephant"	29	× 40	29 0 0

GREY JACONETS—

Ralli's No. 18	45	× 22	11 4 0
" " 18	40	× 22	9 4 0
" " 138	40	× 22	9 4 0
" " 636	44	× 22	10 4 0

WHITE SHIRTINGS—

Liepman's No. 1500	32	× 42	32 8 0
H.B.T.C. 40000	36	× 40	41 0 0
H.B.T.C 33000		"	33 0 0
Lyon's C. 4000		"	....
Ralli's No. 9889	33	× 42	....
Forbes K.B. 109	36	× 40	....
" 151	33	× 40	24 0 0
Fleming's No. 7182	36	× 20	16 4 0

WHITE MULLS—

Ralli's No. 6	41	× 19	10 0 0
" No. 60	40	× 19	11 0 0
" No. 600	41	× 19	12 0 0
" No. 6000	56	× 19	13 0 0
" No. 88	58	× 29	11 4 0
" No. 1270	27	× 18	5 0 0
" Nos. 50/55/60 40/45	58	× 18	....
" No. 818	38	× 20	11 8 0
" No. 250 (6 lines)	54	× 20	....
" No. 350 (6 lines)			16 8 0
" No. 335 (6 lines)	58	× 20	17 8 0
" No. 425 (6 lines)		"	18 8 0
" No. 1440	38	× 20	11 8 0
" No. 5952	40	× 20	14 12 0
" No. 2755		"	15 12 0
" No. 1703	63	× 20	20 0 0
Ritchie's No. 1260	27	× 18	5 0 0
" No. 119	37	× 18	7 8 0
" No. 229	48	× 18	9 8 0
" No. 339	47	× 18	8 0 0
" M/4M 39," 44," 49,"	54	× 18	9 12 0
" No. 95	58	× 20	11 2 0
" No. 66999	48	× 18	9 8 0
" No. 86999			9 12 0
" No. 775	40	× 18	7 14 0
" No. 575	48	× 18	8 8 0
" No. 975	59	× 18	8 14 0
" No. 615			8 8 0
Graham's "Baloon"	58	× 20	11 2 0
" Nos. 9/99/999/82/45	60	× 18	....
" No. 9999	55	× 18	....
" No. 142	34	× 18	11 8 0
" No. 420	34	× 18	11 0 0
Macdonald's No. 64	58	× 20	....
Greaves' No. 5060	27	× 18	5 6 0
Fleming's No. 8080	22	× 18	5 4 0

WHITE NAINSOOKS—

Ralli's No. 7070/9090	27	× 18	7 10 0
" Nos. 61/81		"	....
" No. 1900		"	5 14 0
" No. 39820 T.B	28	× 22	10 4 0
Graham's Nos. 88/8888	28	× 18	8 0 0
" 95950/97970			....
" Saraswati"	28	× 18	13 8 0
" "Tipco" W/W/W	34	× 18	9 4 0
" No. 59000		"	10 4 0
" Nos. 23240 23260/23280		"	11 4 0
Lyon's Nos. 4645/5656/6767	26	× 18	....
Greaves' Nos. 50000/56000		"	7 8 0
" No. 8000 T.B.	38	× 22	10 4 0
Ritchie's Nos. 3500/4510/5820	26	× 18	7 8 0
S. W. & Co.'s Nos. 5800/5820 "Motor Car"		"	6 8 0
Bombay Co's ZZ/ZZZZ		"	....

The above quotations are on bazaar terms, with discount of 3½ per cent. on Grey Goods and 4 per cent. on White Goods.

JAPANESE CLOTHS.

The following are the prices ruling in the bazar of well-known Japanese Cloths:—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins.	Yds.	Rs. a. p.
No. 55000	44	× 36	21 8 0
No. 100		"	....
No. 200		"	....
No. 220		"	....
No. 2300		"	....
No. 7209		"	21 8 0
No. 4101		"	21 0 0
No. 2800		"	25 8 0
No. 4100		"	27 8 0
No. 5100		"	27 8 0
No. 6000	38	× 38	....
No. 666		"	17 8 0

GREY SHEETINGS—

9 Dragons	36	× 36	16 12 0
0" Quality	36	× 36	16 8 0

GREY DRILLS—

Elephant	29	× 40	29 8 0

CURRENT BANK RATES.

England	7 per cent	April 15	1920
France	6 per cent	April 8	1920
Germany	5 per cent	Dec.	1914
Russia	6 per cent	July	1914
Italy	5 per cent	Nov.	1915
Netherlands	4½ per cent	July	1914
Belgium	5 per cent	Aug.	1914
Austria-Hungary	5 per cent	April	1917
Sweden	7 per cent	April	1920
Spain	6 per cent	Oct.	1914
India Bombay	6 per cent	June	1920
India Bengal	5 per cent	July	1920
India Madras	6 per cent	July	1920

SUGAR MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, July 23.

We have to report a very quiet market during the week with small demand and easier advices from all quarters and prices for ready sugars have been reduced by two rupees per cwt. all round. Forward positions have declined considerably even in face of higher exchange and easier advices from all-quarters and there being free sellers business has been done in White Java July-September shipment at 86s. to 85s. Free Bombay Harbour and Rs. 46-8-0 to 44-0-0 F. B. Harbour and August-September shipment at Rs. 45 to 43-8 F. B. Harbour. Calcutta and Karachi markets are quieter with lower rates and small business. Java market is very quiet with free sellers and prices have declined four gilders. America has declined considerably by three dollars. We expect further decline. The following are the Bazar rates and stocks:—

T. M. O. Rs. 54 eq. 94s. F. B. Harbour stocks 8,000 bags.

Brown no stocks.

Soft Rs. 48 eq. 88s. F. B. Harbour stocks 6,000 bags.

Mauritius Rs. 53 stocks 15,000 bags.

CHEMICAL.

(From our Correspondent.)

July 23.

Several of the heavy Chemicals have greatly advanced in values, owing to scarcity of available stocks, and partly due to higher quotations from Home. Sodium-Sulphide had gone up to Rs. 100 per cwt., however, there has been a reaction and the prices are steadily sinking, and have touched nearly Rs. 50 to 55 per cwt. Bichromate of Soda and Potash, have of late been ruling very high, and especially J. J. White Quality is still higher. B. of Potash (1 cwt. Dr.) is quoted at Rs. 130 to 135 per cwt., whereas Soda is quoted at Rs. 110 to 120 per cwt., Zinc Chloride has now fair demand both from local and mofussil mills. Bleaching Powder still continues dear and scarce and the quotation for ready stock is Rs. 50 per cwt. There are still a number of mills which continue the process of bleaching cloth with some electric process, as Bleaching Powder has not yet ceased in value.

Among Sizing Starches, no animation is evidenced to a great extent. Farina K has very slightly gone down. Sago is rather steady. Maize starch and Rice Starch have undergone little fluctuations.

The Lubricating oils have as we reported in previous columns, advanced by nearly a Quarter rupee per gallon. Cylinder and Spindle oils continue very fair in demand. The quotations are as under:—

Sodium Sul Rs. 50/60; Zinc Chl Rs. 30/40; Bi of Potash Rs. 130; Bi of Soda Rs. 115/20; Caustic Soda Rs. 95/30; Ble Powder Rs. 50; Washing Soda Rs. 6; Litharge Rs. 30; Gl Salt Rs. 5; Turkey-red-oil Rs. 30; Cylinder oil N Rs. 2-12-0; Farina K Rs. 13/14; Sago Rs. 12/13; Maize St Rs. 22/25.

MILL-STORES.

July 23.

The animation that has set in for the last one month continues still. Healds have been now steady and the rates vary between Rs. 2 and 2-8-0 per 800 eyes. Reeds are firm. Woolen sundries are ruling high. Shuttles, Bobbins, etc. have no further animation. The quotations are as follows:—

Healds Rs. 2 to 2-8-0 800 per eyes
Reeds Rs. 0-4-0 to 0-5-0 100 per dents.
Roller Cloth (K) Rs. 6 to 7 per yd
Sizing flannels Rs. 3 to 4 per yd
Shuttles 13½" (Jap) Rs. 7/10 per doz
Rowings (Jap) Rs. 30/35 per doz
Slubbings (Jap) Rs. 50/55 per doz

Other quotations have little fluctuations and almost steady.

COLOUR MARKET.

July 23.

There are no significant fluctuations since we reported last. The market remains steady; no lots are reported to have changed hands, small quantities in Reds are changing hands. Poor demand from the local mills but mofussil demand is fairly well for the last couple of days. There is no keen demand for Alizarine since last one month; German stuff is in the market and the values are on decline. Alizarine I. P. has gone down to 1200 per drum and the purchasers get concession rates. Some of the merchants have got highly concentrated and once popular German Dyes and they fetch much higher rates. Sulphur Black had a fair demand and the best stuff is quoted at 1/12/0 to 2/4/0 per lb; where as ordinary qualities are offered at Rs. 1/4 and 1/8/0 per lb. The rates of all the colours are almost the same as quoted last time.

KEMP AND CO.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—The Directors of Kemp and Co., seem to have resolved not to allow me to move any resolution for which notice has been given by me immediately on receipt of the Report on the plea "that the resolutions I proposed will not be in order". I shall, therefore, be obliged by your allowing me through your valuable paper to bring the resolutions to the notice of the Share-holders of the Company.

The Company advertise.

"It is a common practice in India for people to get their prescriptions made up in a haphazard way, which make one shudder for the consequences. It is common knowledge that a medicine badly made up will, at the turning point of a critical illness, defeat the skill of the cleverest medical men. In the face of the facts which are before us, we are astonished that such a state of affairs could exist; and it should be the duty of every medical man in India to insist that his prescriptions be prepared only at reliable establishments" and the same thing was repeated at the Annual General Meeting of the Trades Association by its Chairman on whose Committee the General Manager of Kemp and Co., is a member, still the public will be surprised to learn that the Dispensing Departments of most of its Branches are not in charge of qualified Chemists. The resolution for which I gave notice is as follows:—

"Resolved that the Dispensing Departments of each of the Company's Branches must be under the control and management of a qualified Chemist."

Another resolution sent by me was:—

"Resolved that the annual Stock taking and Valuation of the Stock in Trade of the Company be made by outside-Stock-taken and valuers to be appointed each year by the Board and that the Book do direct and cause stock to be taken and valued by such stock-taken and valuers during the week preceding the close of the year."

Dr. Frazer the General Manager is going Home after 38 years service and the Directors must see that the man they appoint in his place is a competent and qualified Chemist with thoroughly up-to-date business methods in order that the justly high reputation which the name of Kemps attained may be restored.—Yours, etc.,

R. E. BARUCHA.

11, Elphinstone Circle,
Bombay, July 20.

London, July 19.

Linseed Calcutta £37/10 July-Aug. paid.

Tone—firm and dearer. Indian shipments are very small. There is a better demand for near deliveries of seed from the crushers, with fair trade at higher prices.

CORRECTION.

Linseed afloat to U. K. 35,000 tons (vide our No. 14100).

Lowest quotations for
Bi Sulphite of SODA
B. " " SODA
Phosphate of SODA
NIGROSENE XLS
Hematine XLS
Log Wood Ext.

Sulpher.
Acid
Basic
Direct
Ciba
Alizarine
AND OTHER
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HAVE YOU THE RIGHT TO HAPPINESS?

PUNITIVE EXPEDITION AGAINST MAHSUDS.

MAKIN VILLAGES BOMBED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, July 22.

The following press communique is issued:—The conduct of the Abdullai clan of the Mahsuds lately has been unsatisfactory, sniping and raiding having increased. It was therefore decided that it would be necessary to resort to force to bring the tribesmen to reason, the punishment to take the form of a bombardment of the Makin villages which were known to harbour the majority of the offenders. The 67th Brigade and the 5th Mountain Battery left Ladha Camp at dawn on the 10th instant and advanced within range of Makin. The position selected was reached at 8-30 a.m. after slight opposition. The mountain battery shelled the Makin villages for one and a half hours with good effect after which the force commenced its withdrawal to the camp. The two forward battalions, the 2nd Norfolk Regiment and 3/11th Gurkhas carried out their withdrawal successfully and the Mahsuds finding no opportunity did not press them with any vigour and confined their activities to sniping which cost us about 15 casualties.

ATTACK BY MAHSUDS.

When it came to the turn of the 2/41st Bogras to withdraw there was considerable delay and the Mahsuds seized the opportunity, came to close quarters, and some heavy figh

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENTS,

TO-DAY.

The s.s. "Morea"' with the English mails leaves at 1 p.m.

Cricket Matches: (1) Bombay Gymkhana v. St. Xavier's College Gymkhana ground, 2.30 p.m., (2) Parsi Gymkhana v. B. B. & C. I. Ry., Parsi Gymkhana ground, 2-30 p.m,

SUNDAY, July 25.

Cricket Maches; (1) Parsi Gymkhana v. Esplanade C. C. (2) Shapur Spencer C. C. v. Hindu Cricket Assocn (3) Hindu Gymkhana v. Baronte C. C.

MUSLIM STUDENTS UNION

On Sunday, 25th July, at the Union Hall at 6-30 p.m., Mr. Amruddin Gunmaker will deliver a lecture on "Islam expects every Moslim to do his duty."

CITY'S MORTALITY.

The total number of deaths in Bombay on Thursday was 106. The figures of mortality on the corresponding days of the last year and 1918 were 172 and 86 respectively.

BAND AT BOMBAY GYMKHANA

By permission of Col. J. S. McNeill, V.D. and Officers, the Band of the 1/13th G. I. P. Railway Battalion (Indian Defence Force) will play a programme of music under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell; at 6-15 p.m., to-day.

NATIONAL P. R. EMERGENCY CORPS.

On Thursday night the above Corps organised a lecture on "Sanitation" with the exhibition of magic lantern pictures in the American Mission High School Hall. The lecture was delivered by Mr. Jhabwalla. The audience consisted of boys and girls. The lecture was very instructive and was much appreciated by the audience.

"WORK IN NEW COUNCILS,"

A public meeting of the residents of Vile Parle will be held at 9 a.m., to-morrow, in the premises of Mr. Chhaganlal V. Trivedi, when Mr. Mehta, candidate for the Provincial Legislative Council from the Thana District, will deliver an address on "The work in the Reform Councils." Mr. M. A. Haveliwala will preside.

INDIAN PASSENGERS AND TRAFFIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

The following amounts are received as yearly donations towards the funds of the above Association:—

Messrs. Shamji Hemraj and Manekl'al and Nagindas, each Rs. 100; Messrs. L. R. Tairsey and Mavji Govindji, each Rs. 25. Total Rs. 250.

The public is requested to help this Association by contributing to its fund. Amount should be sent to Mr. L. R. Tairsey, c/o 70, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.

GOWD SARASWAT CRICKET CLUB.

The 14th annual general meeting of the above Club was held on Sunday last when Mr. R. A. Wagle presided. The Annual Report with the Statement of Accounts upto 30th December 1919 was adopted.

The following gentlemen were elected on the Managing Committee for 1920:—President:—Mr. P. N. Chandavarkar; Vice President:—Mr. R. A. Wagle; Joint Hon. Secretaries: Messrs. R. G. Wagle and P. R. Dalvie; Hon. Treasurer. Y. G. Bhandare; Captain, Mr. D. K. Telang; Members of the Committee: Messrs. B. M. Dalvi. S. B. Gothaskar. S. M. Dalvi. S. B. Pilgaoker. G. B. Hedge. and M. D. Pai.

THE MUSLIM VOLUNTEER CORPS.

All the volunteers of the above Corps are requested to be present on Sunday, the 25th instant, at 8 a.m. (S. T.), at the Esplanade Maidan, where the regular "Drill Practice" will be restarted.

A monthly meeting of the Managing Committee of the Muslim Volunteer Corps will be held on Friday, 23rd July, at 9 p.m. (B. T.), at Hilal Manzil. All members are requested to be present.

COVERNTON S. S. LEAGUE.

The third annual general meeting of the Covernton Social Service League, of the Espinstone College, will be held at 4-30 p.m. on Monday next in the College premises when the annual report will be passed and office bearers for the new year elected. Ladies and gentlemen who passed the First Aid and House Nursing Examinations last year are required to be present to receive their certificates.

ALCOCK AND ASHDOWN.

MEN ON STRIKE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I regret to say that the men in these workshops have gone on a strike. The demands of these men were (firstly) 8 hours work per day as in the P. and O.; secondly, one month's bonus, thirdly, 20 per cent. allowance. None of these was conceded. The grievance was intensified when they found that the clerks and mistry were given bonus and 30 per cent. allowance. I suppose the idea is to satisfy the mistries in order that they may keep down the demands of the men. I wrote to you the other day that the reply to my representations was to unjust dismissal of one of their faithful servants. This was followed by the dismissal of another faithful servant with 13 years' service. This strike could have been avoided if the hours of work were reduced and a disposition shown to discuss the question of bonus and 20 per cent. allowance I understand that the authorities are willing to concede the demand for reduction of hours. I can see no justification for differentiating between the Carnac Bunder and Mazagon Workshops. With a little tact and consideration this strike could easily have been avoided. I trust wiser counsels will yet prevail. I enclose a telegram I have sent to his Excellency the Governor of Bombay.—Yours, etc.,

JOSEPH BAPTISTA.

TELEGRAM.

Earnestly request send Sir Ibrahim settle dispute between men and Alcock Ashdown. Several representations entirely ignored. Contrary two men unjustly dismissed. Strike likely spread Government intervention desirable.

JOSEPH BAPTISTA.

UNIVERSITY SENATE MEETING.

L. L. D. FOR SIR CHIMANLAL AND SIR NARAYAN.

ASSISTANT PROFESSORSHIP OF SOCIOLOGY.

A meeting of the Senate of the Bombay University was held last evening at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall of the University the Hon. Sir Chimanlal H. Setelvad presiding.

ASSISTANT PROFESSORSHIP OF SOCIOLOGY.

Professor P. A. Wadia moved:—

That the Report of the Committee appointed to consider the applications for the post of Assistant Professor of Sociology be recorded and that Mr. S. Subharama Aiyar, M.A., Professor, Madras Christian College, be appointed (subject to the approval of Government) Assistant University Professor of Sociology on a monthly salary of Rs. 500, for a term of one year from the 1st August, 1920.

Mr. D. G. Dalvi seconded the proposal (Prof. Anstey said that Professor Wadia's) proposal was most extraordinary. Only last year Mr. Subharama Aiyar presented himself for the examination of which he was an examiner and the Chairman of the Board. No doubt Mr. Subhararam Aiyar was one of those who did best in that examination and so he secured an entrance in a college on a salary of little over Rs. 100. To such a candidate the Senate could not offer a professorship carrying a salary of Rs. 500 a month.

The Hon. Mr. Paranjpye opposed Prof. Anstey's remarks and moved an amendment that the subject be dropped for the present.

Mr. Mirza Ali Mahomed Khan moved the following amendment:—

That the Report of the Committee appointed to consider the application for the post of Assistant Professor of Sociology be *recorded* and that Mr. S. N. Pherwani, M.A., be appointed (subject to the approval of Government) Assistant University Professor of Sociology on a monthly salary of Rs. 500 for six months from the 1st of August 1920.

Mr. K. Natarajan seconding the amendment said that about Mr. Pherwani, Prof. Geddes had said that he would be of the greatest help to him. He therefore, hoped that the Senate would realise that it would be a very short sighted policy to appoint a man to work as an assistant to Prof. Geddes whom Prof. Geddes did not like.

Prof. Paranjpye's amendment was carried eventually, on being put to vote.

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE.

On the motion of Dr. N. A. F. Moos, the correspondence which had passed between the Syndicate and Government on the subject of the Royal Institute of Science was recorded and the action taken by the Syndicate was approved.

LETTER FROM GOVERNMENT.

(c) Letter from the Secretary to Government, Educational Department, No. 5885, dated the 29th December, 1919, to the University Registrar.

"I am directed to inform you that the Governor in Council has given careful consideration to the proposal contained in your letter No. 3672, dated the 31st July 1919, that the management and control of the Royal Institute of Science should be entrusted to the University of Bombay and to the representation on the same subject made by the members of the Syndicate who met his Excellency the Governor and the Hon. Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoola on the 28th ultimo. The Governor in Council fully appreciates the desire of the University to fulfil its natural function of teaching and hopes that the time may come when this ambition will be wholly realised. I am, however, to say that he is not convinced of either the practicability or the desirability of effecting an immediate transfer of the Institute. Apart from the fact that both the consent of the original donors or their heirs and the sanction of the High Court would have to be obtained before such a step would be possible, the transfer would greatly delay the opening of the Institute, which Government intend to take place in June 1920. A definite scheme for its organization is now before the Secretary of State whose approval is expected at any moment. The Governor in Council is therefore of opinion that it is desirable that the Institute should enter upon its activities directly under the control of Government in accordance with the expressed wish of the donors and that the question of its transfer to the University should be postponed until it has been running for some time. They will, however, be prepared to give sympathetic consideration to a renewal of the present proposal at a future date. Meanwhile in order to associate the University more closely with the Institute Government have under contemplation the creation of an Advisory Board on which the University should be suitably represented. I am therefore to request that Government may be favoured with any suggestions that that Body may desire to offer on the constitution and functions of such a Board."

SUGGESTIONS ABOUT ADVISORY BOARD.

(d) Letter from the University Registrar, No. 1276, dated the 8th March 1920, to the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

"With reference to the last sentence of your letter No. 5885, dated the 29th December last, I am desired by the Syndicate to submit the following suggestions in regard to the constitution and functions of the Advisory Board which Government contemplate creating in connection with the Royal Institute of Science:—

1. The Board should consist of eight members, four of whom should be nominated by Government, and the remaining four should represent the University.

2. Of the four representing the University, the Vice-Chancellor should be an ex-officio member of the Board and the other three should be elected by the Senate every five years from among those Ordinary Fellows who are experts in Science.

3. It is further recommended that the Vice-Chancellor shall also be the Chairman of the Board.

4. As to the functions of the Board, the Syndicate are of opinion that first it should advise Government (I) as to the appointment of Professors, Lecturers and Demonstrators, (2) as to the levy of fees to be charged from ordinary and research students, and (3) as to the selection of graduates for Fellowships for research work, and secondly, that the Board should, after an annual inspection of the Institute, submit to Government and to the University a report on its progress, its requirements, and equipment, its library, and its hostels, and generally on its condition and prospects."

CHANGES IN REGULATIONS.

The Hon. Mr. Paranjpye then moved:—

(a) That in regulation 10 (page 62 of the Calendar for 1920-21), subjects (9) and (10) be combined into one subject, "(9) Drawing and Manual Training" and that subjects (11), (12) and (13) be renumbered (10), (11) and (12);

(b) that the words "Drawing and Manual Training," be *inserted* between the words "Elementary Science" and "Book-keeping" in regulation 17 (page 63 of the Calendar); and

(c) that Government be requested to assent to the above amendments of the regulations relating to the School-Leaving Examination.

The proposal seconded by Prof. Masani was agreed to.

The Senate then passed a resolution substituting "2" for "10" in Regulation 104 printed at page 52 of the Calendar for 1920-21, with effect from 2nd of August 1920.

At this stage Sir Chimanlal retired from the chair and Mr. Covernton, Director of Public Instruction was voted to the chair.

PROPOSAL FOR CONFERMENT OF L.L.D. DEGREE.

The Hon. Justice A. M. Kajiji moved:—

That the recommendation made in conformity with the first condition of section 17 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904, be accepted and the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws be conferred on the Hon. Justice Sir Chimanlal H. Setalvad, Kt., B.A., LL.B., Vice-Chancellor of the University, and Sir Narayan G. Chandavarkar, Kt., B.A., LL.B., a former Vice-Chancellor, on the ground that they are, in the opinion of the Senate, by reason of eminent position and attainments, fit and proper persons to receive such a degree.

Justice Kajiji said it gave him great pleasure to move the resolution. It seemed to him that both these gentlemen Sir Chimanlal and Sir Narayen Chandavarkar, were so well known and distinguished men that no words were necessary to convince the Senate about their merits. According to the requirements of Section 17 of the Indian Universities Act, these two gentlemen were fit and proper persons to be the recipients of this degree. During the last 63 years, the University conferred this degree upon 9 persons and Lord Sinha would be the 10th person to get the degree. The universities of England and Scotland every year bestowed this honour upon a number of men who had rendered valuable service to the public, and it had been seen that upto now this university conferred this degree for proficiency in politics, philosophy and literature and only in the case of the late Sir Thirozeshah Mehta this degree was conferred for eminent public service.

MERITS OF THE CANDIDATES.

As for Sir Chimanlal, Justice Kajiji said he had served the University for 25 years and now he was a Vice-Chancellor and he had been an active worker of this university for all those years. He asked the Senate to consider if Sir Chimanlal's attainments did not deserve their recognition. Concluding he said the Corporation had passed a resolution appreciating his services to the cause of primary education.

As for Sir Narayen, Justice Kajiji said he was a most distinguished graduate of the University and from the very beginning was taking a very active part in the work of the University. He had been a Vice-Chancellor for three years, and a member of almost every committee appointed by the Senate.

Dr. Sorab Nariman seconded the motion.

MR. JOSHI'S OPPOSITION.

Mr. Joshi opposing the motion said the question was not a simple one. There was no doubt that both Sir Chimanlal and Sir Narayen were eminent members of the public. But what he wanted was that the University should fix some standard for future guidance in the bestowal this honour. If they looked at the records from the year 1884, they would find that this degree had been conferred for all round eminent public service. He then quoted the services of Lord Ripon upon whom this University conferred the first LL.D. degree and cited the cases from Prof. Wordsworth down to Dadabhoy Nowroji and Lord Hardinge. He therefore urged that they should maintain a standard and that the degree should be conferred for more eminent service.

Prof. Wadia associated himself with Mr. Joshi.

Mr. Paranjpye agreed with Justice Kaziji.

PROPOSITION CARRIED BY MAJORITY.

After some further discussion the proposition was put to vote and carried by a majority.

MINERS' DEMAND FOR INCREASE OF WAGES.

BOARD OF TRADE AGAINST IT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.

Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 24.

The Board of Trade has decided against the miners' demands for increase of wages of two shillings a day and reduction in the price of household coal. It is expected that the miners will ballot on the question of strike.

"MORNING POST" DYER FUND—£13,000

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.

Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23

The "Morning Post" Dyer Fund is now nearly £13,000 sterling.

BANDRA AND MAHIM ROADS.

THEIR EXTENSION AND WIDENING.

WHO SHOULD BEAR EXPENSES?

DEBATE IN CORPORATION.

A meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation was held under the presidency of Mr. V. A. Dabholkar yesterday.

HOTEL AT HORNBY VELLARD.

The Corporation considered the third Report of the Committee, dated the 3rd April 1919, regarding an offer from Messrs. Wadia and Co. for the purchase of a portion of a land out of the storm-water reservoir at the junction of Clerk Road and the Hornby Vellard.

The Committee, in the course of their report, stated:—

"It will be remembered that while relinquishing their claim to resume any portion of the low-lying area in question in favour of the Municipality, Government have agreed to permit the Municipality to utilise for building purposes, or to sell as building sites such part or parts of the reservoir as may be approved by Government with a view to recouping the cost of filling in with sweet earth. The Corporation have already approved of a portion of the area being leased to the Western India Turf Club for their purposes on certain conditions including a stipulation that they would maintain a large area as a public park, recreation ground, etc. The Commissioner now proposes that the triangular plot admeasuring about 16,714 square yards at the junction of Clerk Road and the Hornby Vellard which is included in the proposed park, may be sold on certain conditions to Messrs. Wadia and Co. for the erection of an hotel as it will not injuriously affect the proposed park to be laid out by the Turf Club. The plot will be severed from the park by a new road. After careful consideration, in consultation with the Commissioner, the Committee see no objection to the plot being sold for building purposes, but they beg to recommend that consideration of the offer of Messrs. Wadia & Co. be deferred and that the Commissioner be requested to invite offers from the public for the disposal of the plot to be used only for residential buildings, hotels or places of amusement or for other purposes of public utility, subject to the condition that a 30-feet open space should be kept all round the plot and that the elevations should be approved by the Commissioner."

On the motion of Dr. N. H. E. Sukhia, seconded by Dr. Ratanshah T. Nariman, the report was approved and adopted and a copy was directed to be forwarded to the Commissioner for information and necessary action.

BOMBAY'S "BEAUTY" SPOTS!

Mr. S. C. Dhondy moved: "That with reference to paragraph 5 of his letter No. 37670, dated the 22nd February 1917, the Commissioner be requested to expedite the construction of underground conveniences near Bhatia Bang (Victoria Square).

Mr. Dhondy said they had been trying since 1911 to get this urinal removed from its present position. Nothing, however, had been done during all this time about this piece of architectural beauty, which was not only an eye-sore but a disgrace to the Municipality and the city. If one stood only for about five minutes opposite this urinal he would find what a great nuisance it was to the city. Nothing had been done all these years to remedy the evil in spite of repeated complaints against its existence on the present site, and he honed the present Commissioner would kindly attend to the matter and expedite it.

HIDE THE EYE-SORE'S HEAD.

If it was not possible at present continued the speaker to have underground conveniences there, he (the speaker) hoped the walls of the urinal would be covered with creepers so as to shut off the unsightly structure from publihc view.

Dr. A. G. Vlegas, seconding the proposition, said what was one of the most prominent places in the city ought to be rid of this eye sore.

The proposition was carried.

TRAM EXTENSION INTO DOCKS.

Mr. Jehangir B. Baman-Behram moved that the subject matter of the following proposition, of which he had given notice, be referred to the Tramway Committee for report:—

"That the Commissioner be requested to represent to the Bombay Port Trust and the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Company the desirability of extending the Tramway service into the docks with a view to relieving hardship of the people travelling by the coasting steamers, who have to walk about a mile before they can reach the tram line on Frere Road and who can hardly find conveyance in the docks owing to its paucity and high charges demanded by drivers of hack victorias and to report the result of the representation to the Corporation."

Mr. Baman-Behram said the hardships which these people had to undergo especially during the monsoon were so great that, if possible, something ought to be done to remove them. He thought an extension of the tram lines into the docks was essential to this. These people had to travel a mile to react the tram lines.

Mr. M. A. Haveliwala, seconding the proposition, agreed with the mover, that something should be done in the matter.

The Hon. Mr. Phiroze C. Sethna said Messrs. Killick Nixon and Company were anxious to have tram lines in the docks but the Port Trust were averse to the suggestion because they thought the roads in the docks were heavily congested and that it would be difficult to cross the railway lines. It was not correct to say that the people had to travel a mile to reach the tram line, for the distance between this line and the dock wall was only about yards.

Dr. N. H. P said even if it were possible to extend the tram lines into the docks it would be of little avail because these people coming by steamer from long distances brought with them heavy luggage, and under the tramway regulations they could not take into the cars any luggage other than personal.

WHY NOT OMNIBUS SERVICE.

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas agreed with Mr. Baman-Behram's suggesion that some relief should be given to these poor people, but added that at the same time one had to appreciate the difficulties enumerated by the Hon. Mr. Sethna, which stood in the way of the suggested extension of the tram line into the docks. They were at a loss to find out a solution which would give the needed relief, but it seemed the difficulty could be removed if the Tramway Company or some other Company could find it possible to run omnibus service between the docks and the places where the passengers put up.

The proposition was carried.

DONGRI STREET FIRE

On the motion of Mr. Hoosenally M. Rahimtoola, seconded by Mr. A. E. Fazla, the following proposition was carried:—

"That the Commissioner be requested to submit a detailed report regarding the recent fire which broke out in a house in Dongri Street on the 28th February 1920, embodying the following particulars:—(a) the cause of the fire; (b) the number of lives lost in the fire; (c) whether it is a fact that water could not be had for about half an hour after the arrival of the fire-engines and that the pressure in the main was not satisfactory when the water was available."

"That the Committee appointed by Corporation Resolution No. 3649, dated the 4th August 1919, to consider what amendments in the licensing provisions of the Municipal Act are necessary so as to enable the Municipality to effectively control the storage of inflammable articles in dwelling houses, be requested to expedite their report."

EXTENSION AND WIDENING OF SUBURBAN ROAD

The Corporation considered the seventy-first report of the Roads Committee of the Corporation regarding the acquisition of frontages in connection with (1) the proposed extension of Delisle Road northwards to Lady Jamsetji Road and (2) the widening of Lady Jamsetji Road to Bandra Causeway.

The Committee, in the course of their report, stated:—

"Under their Resolution No. 5859, dated the 25th November 1918, the Corporation have already approved of the two projects in question as a part of the Mahim Development Scheme as well as the acquisition of frontages in such cases to an extent of about 100 feet. In view, however, of the great width (100 feet) of the roads when constructed or widened and as it is proposed to include in the projects the construction of parts of cross roads, it has been considered advisable to acquire deeper frontages and to a greater extent than was originally proposed. The original estimate of the cost of frontages and the construction of the road in the first case was Rs. 7,95,574 and of the recoupment Rs. 5,22,215. Now it is estimated that the cost and the recoupment will be Rs. 18,94,001 and Rs. 16,10,977, respectively. In the second case the original estimates of the cost and the recoupment were Rs. 14,67,888 and Rs. 40,41,347 as against the present estimates of Rs. 23,65,899 and Rs. 20,23,511 respectively. From experience gained in similar cases it is not anticipated that a sum exceeding Rs. 7,96,000 in the first case and Rs. 14,69,000 in the second case as originally estimated will be required to finance the schemes as in all probability numerous settlements will be effected and the loss on the schemes as originally submitted will be substantially reduced. It is expected that the schemes now submitted will, if given effect to, lead to the opening up and rapid development of the whole of the Mahim District. The Committee have carefully considered the proposals, in consultation with the Commissioner, and beg to recommend that they be approved. The Committee also recommend that the Commissioner be authorised to apply to Government to assist the Municipality by financing these schemes in the manner proposed in his letter No. E. G. 77/A., dated the 10th April 1919, and that in the event of Government agreeing to do so he be authorised to proceed with the schemes forthwith."

Mr. Cowasji Jehangir said the Municipality at first proposed to apply the Town Planning Act to Mahim but the owners refused to have it. The only alternative then left was to apply the present system which was to acquire the frontage of a hundred feet on either side of the road. The owners now objected to this also and desired that the Municipality should make roads at their own expense and allow the owners to take the unearned increment which would run into lakhs of rupees and to profit at the cost of the general rate-payer. This, he (the speaker) hoped, no member of the Corporation would allow to be done. He moved that the Committee's report be approved and adopted and a copy be forwarded to the Commissioner for information and necessary action, and that the letters received from different associations of Mahim in the matter be recorded.

Mr. Naoroji M. Dumasia seconded the proposition.

"A DAYLIGHT ROBBERY."

Dr. M. C. Javle, opposing the proposition, said that in the other wards of the city the Municipality paid for the set-back and did not recover a pie from the owners in the shape of betterment money, but in Mahim the Municipality proposed to acquire frontages to recoup the cost of the road, and to ask for betterment money. This was day-light robbery. He did not understand why this differential treatment should be meted out to Mahim. For whose benefit were they going to construct a trunk road, a hundred feet wide? It was a connecting link between Bombay and Salsette and was a luxury for the rich. The Commissioner had anticipated the Corporation's approval of the scheme by issuing notices to the rate-payers that their land with frontages would be acquired.

DR. JAVLE'S AMENDMENT.

Dr. Javle then moved an amendment that the properties in the scheme be acquired by mutual private negotiations so far as possible, and failing that the properties may be acquired as follows:—That when the owners of land give the ground required for the actual road-way, the Corporation should undertake the construction and leave the frontages to the present owners, but that, where the whole expense both of construction and acquisition devolves on the Corporation, the Municipality should also secure the frontages as well as the actual area.

Dr. S. S. Batliwala seconded the amendment.

Mr. M. M. Kamdar supported the original proposition.

The Corporation at this stage adjourned for Monday.

GRANT ROAD TERMINAL STATION.

GOVT. ACQUIRES ABOUT 3/4 SQ MILE, LAND.

63 PLOTS TAKEN OVER.

By a notification in the Government Gazette, the Government of Bombay has acquired 63 plots in all measuring about three-fourths of a square mile for the B. B. and C. I. Railway for the purpose of the Grant Road long-distance terminal station in the City of Bombay. The acquisition will run through the following roads: Foras Road, Grant Road, Lamington Road, Falkland Road, Gilder Street, Gilder Lane, Bellasis Road, Bellasis Bridge and environs of Arthur Road.

The majority of the present owners are Parsis and the rest Hindus and Mahomedans.

PRESIDENTSHIP OF SPECIAL CONGRESS.

LALA LAJPAT RAI'S SUGGESTION.

We understand that Lala Lajpat has expressed his opinion that a strong man is needed to preside over the special session of the congress to be held in September. He has sggested the name of Mr. B. G. Tilak in view of the tremendous importance of the issues involved.

SPECIAL CONGRESS PRESIDENCY.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—It is very relieving to know that one of your correspondents has suggested the name of the Hon. Mr. Shastri as the president of the congress. Mr. Shastri apart ffrom a few of the occasions of difference of opinion with the advanced party is an out and out Nationalist. Pure nationalism has ever been running through his veins and his presence in the last two sessions of the Congress and his bold stand in the Congress of his opposition justifies his nomination to the chair. His quietness of temper and cool headedness, his ardent patriotism and deep agony fo the Punjab atrocities are all wellknown and I am here to request the whole of the Congress party to give a very fair and considerate judgment to his being elected to the High Chair. Even from the standpoint of the moderation and reconcilation with the other wing his nomination is justified.—Yours, etc.

R. G. TRIPATHI.

Girgaum, July 22.

"NO CHANCE."

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—You remark in your leading article in your to-day's issue that the Indian Merchants "Chamber's protest against the Karachi suggestion that Government should support the 24d. sterling rate of exchange at all costs and hazards, was superfluous in view of the swing of the Karachi pendulum to the other side." This would lead the public to infer that the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber were not keeping themselves in close touch with all sides of the agitation centred round the question. May I take leave to inform your readers that the meting of the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber with Mr. Hailey, where the protest was made, was held on the 12th instant, while the Associated Press Telegram about the Karachi Chamber of Commerce was dtaed the 14th instant. Surely the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber could not be expected to be aware of the telegram sent by the Karachi Chamber recanting from their original position. My card is sent herewith.—Yours, etc.

X. Y. Z.

SITUATION ON AFGHAN BORDER.

NO REASON TO ANTICIPATE BOLSHEVIST ATTACK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.

Recd. 12-30 p.m. July 23.

In the House of Commons replying to Viscount Curzon, Mr. Montagu expressed the opinion that the situation on the Afghan border was satisfactory. He knew no reason to anticipate an armed Bolshevist attack on the northwest frontier. There was no reason to suspect the intentions of the Afghan Government.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS.

Mr. Gajanan Bhaskar Vaidya B.A., Organiser of the Hindu Missionary Society and editor of "The Hindu Missionary", is standing as a Unionist candidate for election to the local Council from the Kolaba District.

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Vishwanathsula—Your language is unnecessarily violent.

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Saturday, July 24, 1920.

IS IT WISE?

The Chief Commissioner of Delhi has declared the province of Delhi to be a proclaimed area and the Seditious Meetings Act will take effect from the 28th instant—evidently without any reason being assigned. Sir George Lloyd's Government have given a warning to Sind that "if the campaign of untruthful and inflammatory speeches which has commenced in certain districts is persisted in", they "will have no alternative but to apply to the whole province of Sind or to such parts of it as may be necessary the provisions of the Seditious Meetings Act." The reason of this warning is that "the characteristic feature" of the Khilafat meetings in that part of the Presidency "has been the use of language calculated not only to exacerbate racial feeling but to arouse religious passions and to foster a spirit of unrest and disorder," and "that direct appeals to religious fanaticism and utterly false statements about the misconduct of British troops in certain Holy Places, where, in fact, no British troops have ever been, have been publicly made." "Direct appeals to religious fanaticism" is a very vague phrase the proper interpretation of which can hardly be left to C.I.D. reporters and local officialdom. But it is certainly the duty of Government to bring to book those who make "utterly false statements" of the nature mentioned. And this can easily be done under the ordinary process of law. If it is argued that action under the law may lead to an undesirable and dangerous state of public excitement, the answer is that an arbitrary action beyond the law such as the enforcement of the Seditious Meetings Act involves, will lead to greater excitement. Such extra-legal action, enforced as it will be by panick-stricken or over-zealous local officials, is bound "to fetter the expression in fair and truthful fashion of the opinion of the public on a question in which they are so deeply interested", —a result which Sir George is anxious to avoid. Sir George Lloyd, we hope, realises that never in their history have Moslems been more sore in mind than they are now—and that justice and right are with them. Is it statesmanlike to take or even contemplate taking any steps that will prevent them from giving expression to their feelings at a time when there can be nothing more dangerous than the stifling of those feelings? Besides, has Sir George Lloyd given adequate consideration to the fact that the Executive in Sind has contributed no little in inflaming Moslems in Sind by instigating and supporting a most mischievous anti-Khilafat movement propaganda? What India needs, according to Sir George Lloyd, is leaders. What India needs really is Governors who bring a really new angle of vision to their task, who realize that India has changed with the times, that the "present difficult conditions", to use Mr. Montagu's recent phrase, are mainly of Government making and who, therefore, see the futility and danger of resorting to weapons of repression and coercion to deal with situations, however grave, but not too grave to be dealt with by the ordinary law of the land. The Executive in India has always been prone to be panic-stricken and is not too slow in demanding the use of repressive measures. It is for Sir George Lloyd to lead them to new and statesmanlike ways of handling grave situations. Let him visit Sind, mix with the people, talk to them and their real representatives and we have no doubt he will see no need to enforce his warning. To give a blank cheque to the Sind Administration—with its antecedents and its notorious stamp of being medieval—will be to court danger—and disaster.

KARNATAK COLLEGE.

One of the most pleasant functions performed by Sir George Lloyd has been the opening ceremony of the Karnatak College. Karnatak had been waiting for its college for a long time; nevertheless Government deserve warm congratulations for once doing a thing quite out of the way of their slow routine and developing the College within the time fixed by the University of Bombay. Had it been left to the ordinary course of Government machinery, it is a question whether the college would have been raised to the First Grade so early; but Sir George Lloyd's personal interest in the development of the College coupled with the energy of the Principal, Mr. Rawlinson, has made the early establishment of the full-pledge college possible. Had it not been for the war the Karnatak College would have been started as a First Grade College; but rather than wait, the leaders of the Karnatak pressed Government to start at least a Second Grade College for the time being. It is due to Government to acknowledge that in the midst of war when they could have excused themselves, they started the Karnatak College, thanks mainly to the efforts of Sir Mahadev Chaubal, the then Member for Education. Three years ago the first step was taken and now the college is raised to the First Grade. It has been adequately equipped and there is ample room for its proper expansion. We do not believe in mammoth colleges but we are not at the same time in favour of small and tiny colleges, entailing unnecessary waste. Over 350 students have already enrolled themselves as students of the college but there is room for as many more. Mr. Rawlinson has gathered round him a brilliant staff and there is a rich future before the college, specially if, as it is proposed, science classes are added to it.

The services rendered in this connection by the Hon. Mr. Belvi, Rao Bahadur Artal and Rao Bahadur Rodda, cannot be forgotten. They had first to educate Government and when Government rather unaccountably demanded two lakhs as a proof of their earnestness, they had to raise the sum in the face of exceptional difficulties. It is pleasant to recall the early days of struggle, now that the work stands completed. For a long time the Bombay Presidency suffered from acute congestion in colleges, but neither the Government nor the people moved to ease the situation. It was the Karnatak College movement that gave an impetus to the idea of planting colleges at convenient centres and the New Poona College, the Sarvajanik College, the Willingdon College and the Victoria College are after-thoughts. There still remains much to be done, but the situation is decidedly much better than it was. Dharwar already possesses another Second Grade College and a First Grade College. We trust Government have abandoned the idea of changing the location of the medical school, if they ever entertained it seriously. Perhaps it is too early to talk of a University just now. But in due time to come, it is bound to be realised and it is essential that education in all branches should be provided for in one and the same centre.

We wish we could stop here. But the singular indiscretion committed by Sir George Lloyd in lecturing to the students on the want of leaders in India obliges us to say a few words. Sir George's speechs are generally helpful, but sometimes he is not able to resist the gubernatorial temptation of saying inappropriate and irrelevant things. His glorification of the British navy in the Convocation speech was an instance in point. His dissertation on the absence of leadership in India is another. Not that Sir George Lloyd was wrong in saying that India must possess leaders of the right stamp. But he was wrong in suggesting that India lacked such leaders or, that the lack was more pronounced in this country than in others. There is no paucity of leaders and of leaders of the right stamp in India. They have the good fortune to possess also the trust and confidence of the people. They may not have earned the approval of Government, but what is more pertinent they have won the approval of the country. The leaders of India are not afraid to guide the people, when occasions arise. They will outlive the cheap sneer levelled at them that they are playing to the gallery or, to use Mr. Shastri's phrase, that they are sycophants of the people. Our leaders certainly are not courtiers. They do not think that their actions should be guided by the favours or frowns of the authorities. They do not hesitate to speak out to Government, an attitude probably not to the liking of the latter.

Notes of the Day.

Action against the Militarists.

We are indebted to "The Tribune" for the news that out of the nine names mentioned in the Hunter Report of the officials connected with the Punjab four are no longer in service and that the remaining will either give up service when the new Councils are formed or be otherwise dealt with. The four are O'Dwyer; Dyer; Frank Johnson and Bosworth-Smith. The latest "Gazette of India" announces that Bosworth-Smith has been relieved by Major Lindsay as Cantonment Magistrate of Ambala. Frank Johnson's appearance at Rangoon and his remark that he had laid down his uniform were certainly ominous signs. It has taken the authorities some time to realise the necessity of taking action. But what action! Those who insulted our womenfolk; those who flogged and fired as if hellish forces had been let loose are asked mildly to retire from service. Others, who were responsible for abominations ranging from bribery and police intimidation to forcible detention, unlawful trial, machine-gunning and bombing, are still securely astride the saddle of government. It is sought no doubt to make some slight amends for our humiliations. We could have understood if no punishment had been meted out at all, for, then the theory laid down by the House of Lords would have been clearly the guiding principle; but we cannot understand punishment that recognises the crime, and yet does not adequately meet it. This is humiliation intensified. Not until the last militarist is adequately dealt with will there be any prospect of the dawn of a new era in India.

Mr. Lloyd George on Europe.

The end of the Spa Conference sees Mr. Lloyd George taking the nation into his confidence in a speech delivered in the House of Commons on a motion for adjournment. Germany, Poland, Russia and Turkey were the principal topics discussed by him. He is confident that Turkey will sign the Peace Treaty; and he may well be. Having found a new title, "the Prisoner of Bosphorus" for the Sultan of Turkey; having destroyed practically all vestige of sovereignty in what was once the Ottoman Empire, having made the choice of amenable ministers to discuss the terms with;—there remains no reason to doubt a "happy" conclusion to the impasse created by the resignation of the Turkish Cabinet. Turkey will sign but what will her signature be worth? Let us change the scene to Germany. Having imposed impossible terms upon the German; having exposed him to hunger and starvation by a prolonged blockade; having ear-marked his coal and thereby stopped his industries; having given an irresistable impetus to reaction and Bolshevism: Mr. Lloyd George might well declare that although Fehrenbach and Von Simons were "honourable and upright men who were doing their best" yet "the Allies were not confident they could do it." In fact the Allies had arranged "that more than half the commercial value of coal would be advanced to provide the necessary food and clothing" to the German!! Fehrenbach will ratify every term dictated to him, but what will his ratification be worth?

Mr. Lloyd George, Russia and the Poles.

But the diversion to this delicate and subtle tragedy is provided by Mr. Lloyd George's reference to the Soviet's reply regarding an armistice with Poland. He admits now that the Polish attack was "reckless and foolish." Of course it was. But Mr. Bonar Law did not think so when he declared that the Allies could hardly intervene to stop the fight. To-day the Allies think differently, and are unduly anxious that the Bolshevist armies should not cross the Polish border, hoping that the Jingoes among them will help them if the excuse is given that Russia defeating Poland will link up with Germany. Is this an excuse for inciting Allied peoples to pick up a gratuitous quarrel on behalf of reckless Polish reactionaries bankrupt of all statesmanship? Or is it an excuse to give to say that Poland went to war because she was afraid of Bolshevist interference in Polish affairs? What more serious interference could any country invite in its affairs than the launching of a colossal and hopeless war which has brought a hostile army to its very gates? The Allies now wish to seal those gates, but the Bolshevists evidently have taken a leaf out Allied diplomacy and issued a note which has confounded all the Allied statesmen. Reuter should have cabled this note *in toto*. It must be a document of historic importance. But from what has been cabled it appears that Lenin has claimed that he will not treat with a capitalist Government, but only with the Polish proletariat. Mr. George himself said once that he could not treat with the Russian proletariat but only with a "properly constituted Government. And while, in saying this he was dictating to the people of Russia as to what sort of Government they should have, he complains bitterly now that "The Soviet were not entitled to dictate to Poland what sort of Government she should have." The foolish words of statesmen uttered in haste come home to them with annoyance. No doubt one day peace will come to Europe and to the world in spite of the "peace-makers." But why not make an honest beginning, by declaring a halt to the mad adventure of Russian intrigue? Make peace with Russia and half Europe will sink back from the weapons of war and murder to the tools of peace and industry with sigh of unmeasured relief.

The Story of a Subsidy.

The Government of India contradicted a few days ago, the statement which had originally appeared in the "Muslim Outlook" of London that £10,000 was being paid, out of Indian revenues, as a monthly subsidy to Ibn Saud, the Arab Chieftain, who is a rival to King Hussain of Hedjaz and is challenging his authority to rule over Arabia. The Government of India assured the public of this country that the statement was quite baseless and that they were not paying anything to Ibn Saud. Now, Mr. Montagu tells us that since the Turkish armistice a hundred thousand pounds sterling have been actually paid to Ibn Saud as subsidy, but "the incidence of the cost had not yet been finally settled." This means, we suppose, that it has not yet been finally decided between the Foreign Office and the Indian Office as to who, Great Britain or India, is to foot the bill ultimately. It is to be hoped the Government of India were not indulging in any casuistical feat when they asserted that they were not paying anything. The Government of India cannot, of course, be said at present to be paying the subsidy, if it is still undecided on whom to throw the burden, but we hope also that the question of payment by India will never crop up in future. What is Ibn Saud to India that the latter should subsidize him? And what for? To scheme against King Hussain? It has been openly stated that the India Office and the Foreign Office have been playing at cross-purposes in Arabia, the former backing up Ibn Saud, and the latter King Hussein, though both, to all interests and purposes, are "Allies" of the British Government! "King Hussein" must no doubt be receiving his subsidy too, whether repayable or not at any time. Apparently the game of cross-purposes is not yet at an end as we hear that a meeting between the rival claimants to the gadi of Hedjaz, with a view to "reconciling the differences" is about to take place.

Chinese Affairs

Chinese party politics are more than usually complicated, but it is reassuring to be told that the crisis which was brought about by the tug of war for political supremacy between the Chihlites and the Anfuites is about to end, owing to the capitulation of the Anfuite troops and the offer of Marshal Tuanchijui, president of the Anfu Club, to dissolve the Anfuite Parliament that, had been illegally set up in Peking, to dismiss Anfu Ministers and to suppress the Anfu Club, which had been dominating the political situation in Peking for some time past. The Anfu faction had made impossible any settlement of the differences between the Northern and Southern provinces of China and it was trying to crush the Southerners by superior military force. It is an open secret that in this attempt the Anfuites have received very considerable help from Japan. The downfall of the Anfus is, therefore, a severe blow to Japanese influence in China. A recent manifesto issued by the Southerners makes it clear that the influence of Anfu party was having a baneful effect on the progress of China towards democracy. It is three years since the South-Western Provinces declared their independence and the Navy came over to join them. During these three years, the manifesto says:

China has been suffering from civil strife, involving great loss of life, property and wealth. And all this has been done for the sake of defending the constitution and saving the country.

The Constitution must be defended because Tuan Chiu-jui is destroying it: the country must be saved because the Anfuites, of whom Tuan Chi-jui is the principal leader are bartering away its sovereign rights. Therefore, there is no hope of success in defending the constitution unless Tuan Chi-jui is put out of power; and no hope of success in saving the country unless the Anfu Party is dissolved. Accordingly the South-Western Provinces and the Navy seceded from the Peking Government and established an independent Government in Canton under the title of 'The Military Government of the Republic of China,' in order to achieve their patriotic aim of defending the constitution and saving the country.

If, by the downfall of the Anfu Party, the solidarity of China becomes easier of achievement, then the world may well rejoice in the turn of events in the Celestial Republic.

The Wearin' O' the Green:

Every morning brings its news of conflict and murder in Ireland. More murders have been committed in one week; more deeds of violence; more "intimidation"; more incendiarism than throughout the whole course of the three-month long tragedy in the Punjab. Sir Hamar Greenwood has announced in the Commons that Sinn Fein destroyed two millions sterling worth of property during 1919-20. And yet no advocates can be found in the House of Lords or outside it to call for a Dyer to prevent an "incipient rebellion" leading to a Mutiny "which might have ended in a revolution." Why, in Ireland the rebellion is there, nay, the revolution is there with a vengeance. Having introduced the desirable system of Proportional Representation in County and Rural Council elections in the unfulfilled hope of weakening Sinn Fein, the result has meant the capture of 29 out of 33 County Councils by Sinn Fein-Republican nominees. The total number of County Council seats in Ireland is 699. Labour, Nationalists and Sinn Feiners have secured 590, or 84.4 per cent. Even in Ulster this combination has to its credit 55.02 of the total seats, with the result that, to-day, Sinn Fein is practically in complete control of the local administrative machinery of the greater part of Ireland.

A World-wide Organisation.

In the meantime, British Labour has thrown in its lot with the party which stands against militarism, and Irish Labour has gone over to Sinn Fein. Mr. Lloyd George may threaten De Valera, seated safely in his professional chair in America and draw false parallels with the American Civil War but no one believes that this is the way to get out of a serious difficulty confronting British statesmen. Mr. Griffiths declares on the other hand that he is quite prepared to accept Mr. Lloyd George's second pose of desiring a Conference with Sinn Fein, provided the "accredited representatives of the British Government meet the accredited representatives of the Irish Government"—meaning of course Eon MacNeill; Arthur Griffiths; Edmond De-Valera and their colleagues. There is no doubt that the remarkable success achieved by Sinn Fein is due primarily to the gift for organisation among its leaders. You may casually pick up an Italian newspaper in the streets of the small and village-like town of Brindisi and be astounded to find the most important article on the front page dealing in *English* with the grievances of Ireland. Go wherever you like in Europe or in America, and in the Press, platform and even the public-house the talk is of Sinn Fein, which has spread its propaganda to the four corners of the world. The days, undoubtedly, are gone for hole-in-the corner politicians who think that the destiny of a nation can be adequately discussed and settled by holding hooka-meetings of the village-panchayet.

Haste is Waste.

While we admire the zeal of the President of the Municipal Corporation, Mr. Dabholker, we must deprecate his stifling of what is sometimes very necessary discussion. Mr. Kamdar certainly exaggerated when he said at the last meeting that his manners and methods of conducting the work of the Corporation, were reminiscent of the village schoolmaster, with scanty mental equipment. Nevertheless Mr. Dabholker must understand that while the President must observe a certain amount of dignity, his conduct must be fair and he must not assume the airs of an autocrat. He must remember that while he has his rights, the members also have theirs. At Thursday's meeting the President was clearly wrong, when he ruled that Dr. Sukhia's amendment fell to the ground for want of a seconder, although Mr. Kamdar was on his feet before he gave his ruling. This is not the first time that Mr. Dabholker has been so hasty in disposing of his business, in his otherwise laudable anxiety to clear off the arrears with a very liberal use of the "closure." While we deprecate long-winded discussion on every question, subjects of vital importance must thoroughly be threshed out. And in such cases haste means only waste.

MR. GANDHI & MR. MONTAGU

"HIS EFFORTS THOROUGHLY MISCHIEVOUS."

RECENT INTERPELLATIONS IN PARLIAMENT.

OFFICIAL VERSION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, July 22.

A Government of India Home Department (Political) communique says:—The following is an authoritative version of the recent questions and answers in the Houses of Parliament, which were not correctly or fully reported in Reuter's messages on the subject lately received in India.

Mr. Gwynne asked the Secretary of State if he was aware that local Governments had prohibited Mr. Gandhi from coming into their districts and at the same time that he (the Secretary of State) had made a speech in the House of Commons saying that Mr. Gandhi was one of the saviours of India.

The Secretary of State replied that there can be no doubt and many other people have said that the services of Mr. Gandhi to India, particularly in South Africa, were very great indeed and there can be no doubt as to Mr. Gandhi's high character. Many people, who have high characters, are politically mischievous. In my opinion the local Governments were perfectly right in prohibiting the entry of Mr. Gandhi into their provinces and I think that the utterances of His Majesty's Government on the subject show that they supported them.

The Secretary of State added in reply to Sir Henry Craik that if Mr. Gandhi persisted in non-cooperation after what had happened last year it would be absolutely impossible to take the same view of his action as was taken last year.

Finally, the Secretary of State said:—I think that the efforts of Mr. Gandhi are thoroughly mischievous; but I would prefer to leave their proper treatment to those in whom His Majesty's Government, and, I hope, this House have complete confidence, namely, those who have charge of the maintenance of the law and order in India.

"BOY-COTTING" PRINCE OF WALES' VISIT.

MR. MONTAGU ON A "DISLOYAL" PROPOSAL.

(REUTER'S TEEEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 21.
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Mr. Montagu also stated he understood that Mr. Ghandhi's disloyal proposal to boycott, the Prince of Wales' visit had found little favour. He was confident that the Prince of Wales would receive welcome in India equalling, if not excelling, the enthusiasm of the Prince's reception elsewhere in the Empire.

NON-CO-OPERATION MOVEMENT.

MR. MONTAGU'S HOPE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 21.
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Replying to Sir Joynson Hicks, Mr. Montagu said there was reason to hope that Mr Ghandhi's non-co-operation movement would be a failure. The Government of India were watching the situation very closely.

SPA CONFERENCE.

STATEMENT BY PREMIER IN COMMONS.

POLISH SITUATION AND GERMAN INDEMNITY.

(REUTER'S TEEEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 11-45 a.m., July 23.

On the motion for adjournment Mr. Lloyd George made a statement with regard to the Spa Conference. He paid a high tribute to the Greek troops in clearing up the situation in Asia Minor and expressed confidence that the Greeks would be similarly successful in Thrace. He was very hopeful that Turkey would sign the Treaty because the Turks would recognise that it was the best means of enabling Turkey to preserve the Dominions left to her by the Treaty and to start life on a surer and sounder basis than in the past.

"TEMPTATION TO GERMANY."

The question of Poland had given the Allies very great anxiety. The Polish attack on Russia was reckless and foolish. The only excuse was Bolshevist interference in the Polish affairs. Poland was legitimately afraid of Soviet Russia and anxious to have some form of a buffer state. An independent Poland was essential to the whole fabric of peace. If the Bolshevists overran Poland, they marched right up to the German frontier. That would be a great temptation to Germany. It would be a cheap way of escaping their obligations. There were millions of trained men in Germany and the effect of the Bolshevists overrunning Poland might be to deprive the Allies of the fruits of victory. Therefore the Allies had concluded that they must take steps to arrest the destruction of Poland and the march of the Bolshevist armies through Poland.

The Note sent from Spa to the Soviet Government was sent with the full consent of Allies. The Allies had made it clear to Poland that they would assist Poland to defend her own frontiers and own independence. The Polish Premier had undertaken to withdraw the Polish Army to the legitimate frontiers of Poland and defend her frontiers, and seek peace on that basis.

SOVIET'S REPLY.

Mr. Lloyd George described the Soviet Government's reply as ambiguous and largely propaganda. So far as he could understand the Soviet said they were willing to negotiate with Poland directly. They alleged that the Allies had treated Poland badly in fixing the boundary. The Allies had to give more to Poland and promised to consider the armistice in a friendly spirit but apparently they were only prepared to discuss the matter with the proletariat Government. The Soviet were not entitled to dictate to Poland what sort of Government she should have. In order to test the Soviet's bonafides the Allies had advised Poland to apply to the Soviet for armistice with a view to peace. In our reply to Moscow we were bound to make it clear that if despite the Polish application for armistice the Russian armies still marched on, we would give Poland such assistance as we could. We were bound to do everything in our power to avert the wiping out of Poland which would be fatal to the peace of Europe.

Mr. Lloyd George confirmed fact that the Russian delegates to England were remaining at Reval pending the Soviet's further reply, the times were however, pressing and France and Britain had sent envoys to Poland to investigate the question of assisting the people to defend their frontier France was sending General Weygand and Marshal Foch would follow, if necessary.

GERMAN INDEMNITY AND COAL.

Referring to Germany, the Premier said he thought that Fehrenbach and Von Simons were honourable and upright men who were doing their best to cope with the gigantic difficulties and who had clearly made up their minds to do their utmost to carry out the Treaty but the Allies were not confident they could do it. Regarding reparation Mr. Lloyd George emphasised that complete understanding had been reached amongst the Allies which confirmed the particulars already published.

Dealing with the question of coal the Premier stated that of the difference between export and the inland price of German coal five marks per ton would be paid cash to Germany and the balance would be advanced to Germany for the purchase of food and clothing. He added that there was no doubt that the population was gravely underfed. The figures of infantile mortality were appalling, while investigations bore out the assertion that the miners were unable to turn out their quota of coal because they were underfed. Arrangement had therefore been made that more than half the commercial value of coal would be advanced to provide the necessary food and clothing.

GERMAN SCHEME FOR LIQUIDATING REPARATIONS.

With regard to reparation the Germans had submitted a general scheme for liquidating the reparations. That document was very able and most valuable as giving a clear proof that the Germans were making a real effort to grapple with the problem of indemnity.

There was no attempt at evision. It was decided to appoint a Committee of experts to discuss the document with Germany.

Arrangements had also been made at Spa on during the question of war criminals to be dealt with effectively at an early date.

Mr Lloyd George remarked incidentally that it was not in the least clear that the delay in the arrests of the criminals rested with the Germans.

DISARMAMENT.

Regarding disarmament the Premier expressed the opinion that the naval portion would be completed by the end of September. Considerable progress had also been made with the military programme, but there were still three million rifles in Germany unsurrendered while although 25,000 guns had been surrendered only about half had been destroyed. The Allies were now destroying them at the rate of about thousand weekly. He estimated that there were still nine hundred thousand armed men in Germany and also too much war material was spread about the country. The Premier thought that the rifles were not surrendered because the extreme Right and the Extreme Left did not trust each other, not because they distrusted the Allies. The Allies were demanding that Germany should insist on both the sections giving up arms. The position was dangerous. The Allies had therefore insisted on the issue of a proclamation demanding the surrender of the rifles by September.

In conclusion Mr. Lloyd George eloquently compared the present position with that of two years ago when almost to the very day the Kaiser started from Spa after sending the message "Next Stop Versailles."

"POLAND MUST NOT BE OVERRUN BY BOLSHEVIKS."

Mr. Asquith while expressing regret that the Powers had not succeeded in preventing Poland from embarking on a foolish adventure, agreed that Poland must not be overrun by the Bolsheviks. The Allies should take steps on the intitiative of the League of Nations.

Mr. Lloyd George intervening said one of the most vehement portions of the Bolshevik reply was the refusal to have anything to do with the League.

Mr. Asquith continuing expressed satisfaction that the Spa Conference had seen the desirability of revising the Treaty with regard to coal and disarmament. He hoped that consideration would be further extended as experience was gained, of the working of the Treaty.

Mr. Lloyd George replying to a question by Mr. Asquith said he thought that the German representatives at the forthcoming Conference at Geneva would come prepared with the provisional figures with regard to the amount payable to the Allies. The final figures, however, could only be settled when a decision had been reached with regard to Silesia.

Mr. Samuel Hoare expressed the opinion that eventually the Inter-Allied war debts would have to be wiped off. He suggested meanwhile that in order to dissipate French suspicions that our policy was dictated by material considerations that we should wipe out France's liability to pay the interest of 515 millions sterling owing us.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR WARANGEL'S OPERATIONS.

Mr. Llyod George winding up disclaimed British responsibility for General Wrangles operations. The Bolshevik reply had offered amnesty for General Warangel. We were anxious for peace on the basis of the independence of Poland. He referred to the false impressions in Russia as regards the British, which made the negotiation of the much desired peace almost impossible. He believed that Bolsheviks would be greatly mistaken, if they invaded Poland, where the forces were more formidable than they imagined.

RELIEF COLUMN REACHES RUMEITA.

PROLONGED AND SEVERE FIGHTING.

ENEMY RETREATING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
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In the House of Commons Mr. Churchill announced that relief column had reached Rumeita on the afternoon of July 20th. Serious anxiety with regard to the garrison was thus relieved. The column composed of an infantry brigade with artillery advanced at dawn on July 18th and reached on the morning of the 19th four miles north-west of Rumetia, where two thousand enemy holding three lines of entrenchments and using bombs and machine-guns offered strong opposition. After severe and prolonged fighting our attack was successful. An enemy counter-attack after dark was beaten off. The enemy was effectively bombed and machine-gunned and received heavy casualties. The enemy retired during the night. Our column continued to advance on the morning of July 20th and reached Rumeita after a little further resistance. The parties of the enemy retiring are being heavily machine-gunned from the air.

ALLEGED "TYRANNY" OF TRADES-UNIONS.

LORD INCHCAPE'S LETTER TO "THE TIMES."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 29.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

Writing to "The Times" Lord Inchcape deplores, the tyranny of some trades-unions instancing threatened boycott of the Narkunda's engineers, electricians on their return, if the minor defects in electric lighting in the stewards' quarters are completed at sea. Lord Inchcape points out that failure to remedy this at sea will result in considerable discomfort to the passengers and the stewards and he declared that if this sort of thing continues it can only end in closing down the industries and laying up the ships, as many are weary of the present conditions.

"A FRIGHTFUL ERROR OF JUDGMENT."

LORD MILNER'S VIEW.

MORE OF DYER'S DEFENDERS.

SECOND DAY'S DEBATE IN LORDS.

The following is the portion mentioned as missing in Lord Curzon's speech.

Lord Curzon characterised the second explanation regarding the crawling order in General Dyer's recent statement, namely that his order meant that the street should be regarded as a holy ground which was as well understood by the Indians, as an after-thought, if not an absurdity. Lord Curzon described the manner in which an Indian pays penance in order to mark the difference from crawling action. General Dyer's action in this connection was impossible to excuse, despite extreme and intense provocation. The subsequent explanation was inconsistent with the facts. Lord Curzon proceeded to examine the Jallianwalla Baug affair and refuted at length Lord Finlay's presentation of many minor but important facts and submitted the version based on the evidence of General Dyer himself and a Deputy-Inspector of Police and a Brigade-Major, all Englishmen.

LONDON, July 20.
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During the second day's Dyer debate in the House of Lords Lord Milner deplored the debate as likely to harm national interest. He declared that the suggestion that injustice had been done to General Dyer from a political motive was unfair and gratuitous. He was one of the Cabinet Committee, which had investigated the report of the Hunter Committee and he had approached the subject with bias all in favour of a soldier, of firm and even stern repression of sedition and maintenance of imperial power, but he was forced regretfully to conclude that in the suppression of the disorders, acts were committed for the maintenance of authority which were ultimately likely not to strengthen but to undermine it. General Dyer's continuing the firing in order to create moral impression in the Punjab was a frightful error of judgment involving fearful consequences but the Government would have committed a more terrible mistake if for fear of unpopularity they had hesitated to condemn General Dyer's action.

GENERAL DYER DEALT WITH LENIENTLY.

Lord Milner declared that it would be unjustifiable and impossible to employ General Dyer when many other British officers of equal rank and distinction were awaiting employment. The Government were not inflicting any penalty or stigma on General Dyer by not employing him because they could not employ him without extreme injustice to others. The Government took the full responsibility for the repudiation of General Dyer's action. No lighter terms of censure would have adequately met the case. The suggestion that any hurt had resulted to General Dyer beyond the inevitable result of censure, which the Government felt bound to pronounce, was quite contrary to the fact. As far as was consistent with their duty in asserting the principles they were bound to assert the Government had dealt with General Dyer considerately and leniently. Far graver consequences to individuals might have to be faced, if necessary, in order to assert the principles which the Government considered vitally important to the sound administration and the fair fame of the Government of India for the capacity to maintain peace and order by strong but temperate and not ruthless or cruel methods.

The Archbishop of Canterbury regretted the discussion on the ground that it might be construed as approbation of General Dyer's policy.

Lord Sumner supported the motion declaring that General Dyer had been convicted without a trial.

Lord Buckmaster opposed the motion.

LORD MESTON'S VIEWS.

Lord Meston said that the motion was really a vote fo censure on the Government of India. He denied that there was any avoidable delay in bringing the case of General Dyer to investigation. General Dyer's continuing to fire after the crowd had dispersed was unjustifiable. It was untrue that the security of the Punjab depended on General Dyer. It was the steadfast front of the Government of India in the Punjab and elsewhere and the courage of Sir Michael O'Dwyer that had kept the Punjab together. No other officer had acted in a similar way to General Dyer in suppressing the disorders. They did what was necessary and no more.

The following is the amplification of last night's Dyer debate in the House of Lords:—

A DEFENDER OF GENERAL DYER.

Lord Sumner said that nobody supporting the motion desired one standard of justice for Europeans and another for Indians. They desired the law to be administered fairly and equally to all citizens of the Empire. (Cheers). They claimed that General Dyers action should be viewed in the light of two prominent considerations, firstly, that General Dyer alone saw things as they were when action had to be taken and, secondly, that General Dyer was one of the long file of officers who now and hereafter would be called on to meet similar situations and upon whose firmness and judgment great and fateful events must depend. (Cheers). General Dyer was faced with an incipient planned rebellion. General Dyer had apparently been punished because he had the candour to say that he thought it time to attack the moral rebels and [illegible] to suppress them at the outset by shee[illegible] and not paltering to their disloyal endeavours. Lord Sumner suggested that the campaign against General Dyer was organised, not because he used excessive force but because he evolved in his own mind a theory from which the rulers thought it wiser and necessary to dissent. He expressed the opinion that some members of the Hunter Committee came to the inquiry with the information derived from the evidence laid before it. (Cheers). In view of the vast new responsibilities we were assuming it was increasingly the duty of the military authorities to deal with a sudden rebellion. They were the weakening hands of these officers, if they let it be understood that fair consideration would not afterwards be given to their difficulties and dangers. He urged their Lordships to pause long before voting against the motion they laid down as a safe rule on the policy that the less force a military officer used—if he had to use it at all—the better and if that if he used more than the minimum he could keep to he did so at his peril. (Cheers).

LORD CURZON'S VIOLENCE DEPLORED.

Lord Salisbury deplored the violence of Lord Curzon's language. He pointed out that General Dyer was in the position of the greatest difficulty and reasserted the authority of the Corwn. He expressed the opinion that thanks were due to such a honourable and gallant gentleman. He could not find any trace of General Dyer having acted with vengeance. He did not approve all General Dyer had done and said but the House ought to concentrate their attention on the broader issue, namely, whether officers doing their best in positions of great difficulty, in which if they did not do their duty most formidable consequences would follow, were to be supported by the Government or not. If such officers were not supported, the confidence of those responsible for maintaining law and order would be undermined and it would have a most demoralising effect on them and on the people of India who were entering on a great experiment and who ought to understand that there was nothing in self-government which authorised disorder.

TURKISH CABINET WITHDRAWS RESIGNATION

MEETING OF DYNASTIC COUNCIL.

SULTANAS URGE SIGNATURE OF TREATY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
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Constantinople.—The Imperial Family including a large number of the Sultanas held a dynastic council and gave advice in favour of signing the Peace Treaty. The Sultanas had a big say in the decision, pleading the hopeless condition of Turkey's womanhood as a result of ten years' war.

The Cabinet has withdrawn its resignation.

NO RESISTANCE TO GREEK LANDING.

LAST STAND TO BE AT KIRKKILISSE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Constantinople.—The Turks did not resist the Greek landing at Rodosto and Ereglu. The Greeks are advancing and now threaten Adrianople in the rear. It is believed that the Turks will not resist at Adrianople, but will make a last stand around Kirkkilisse, where the proximity of Bulgarian frontier offers an assylum with possibilities of help from Bulgarian *comitadjis*. The Turkish forces in Thrace are estimated at fifteen thousand.

POLITICAL MISSION TO POLAND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
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British and French special missions to Poland leave Paris to-day. The British Mission consists of Lord D'Abernon, Sir Maurice Hankey and Major-General Sir Percy Radcliffe.

ENTENTE ASSISTANCE TO POLAND.

PASSAGE THROUGH GERMANY TO BE DENIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Berlin.—Von Simons, speaking in the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Reichstag, declared that Germany would not consent without protest to any proposal for the Entente to despatch assistance to Poland through Germany. Any Russian or Polish troops violating the German frontier would be disarmed.

HANDING OVER OF GERMAN AIRSHIP

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
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The German rigid airship L-64 handed over under the Peace Treaty has arrived in England. She is slightly larger than R-34, being 642 feet long. She is able to undertake a journey of four thousand miles at a cruising speed of forty-five miles per hour.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN BELFAST.

MILITARY BATON CHARGES.

DISPERSE SINN FEIN CROWDS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Serious rioting broke out in Belfast late on Wednesday night and the police and military were called out. Sinn Feiners attacking the police with stones and bottles were dispersed by baton charges. The military fired blank cartridges over the heads of the rioters and afterwards erected barbed wire entanglements, separating Sinn Feiners and Unionists. There was considerable looting. Six public houses were rifled and the streets were strewn with beer barrels. Shop-lifting was also indulged in. Several fires broke out. So far three persons are reported killed and thirty injured. The military armed with machine-guns are establishing cordons in the disturbed area. The firing was continuing at two thirty this morning.

BOLSHEVIST INVASION OF NORTH PERSIA.

LOCAL INHABITANTS JOIN BOLSHEVISTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Replying in the House of Commons to Lieut.-Commander Kenworthy, Mr. Harmsworth stated that he was informed that a number of local inhabitants had joined the Bolshevist forces in North Persia. He emphasised that the terms on which Government was prepared to resume negotiations with the Soviet Government of Russia included the cessation of Bolshevist operations of this nature. He hoped that this would prove the means of assisting the Persian Government to deal with the situation created by the Bolshevist invasion.

ACTIVITIES OF GEN. WRANGEL'S SUPPORTERS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
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A telegram issued by the Russian Liberation Committee says that the supporters of General Wrangel have made a fresh landing between Mariupol and Taganroc, supported by the fleet.

PRINCE OF WALES IN TASMANIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Launceston (Tasmania), July 21.—The Prince of Wales has arrived here and was vociferously welcomed. He is suffering from a slight attack of laryngitis and is unable to use his voice.

ALLIES TO ASSIST POLAND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., July 24.

Paris.—Newspapers are discussing with excitement the report that Bolsheviks are in front of Bielostok and declare that if it is confirmed it will justify complete support of Poland by the Allies.

HUNTER COMMITTEE REPORT

INTERPELLATIONS IN LORDS.

In the House of Lords on the 14th July, Lord Sydenham asked:

(1) Was the substance of the resolution or the despatch of the Government of India on the report of the Hunter Committee telegraphed to the Secretary of State for India and was the original draft in any way altered to meet his wishes?

(2) Will the important evidences of Sir Michael O'Dwyer; Mr. Thompson, Chief Secretary to the Punjab Government; General Hudson, Adjutant-General in India and Major Sir Umar Hayat Khan be made public and does His Majesty's Government approve the quotation in the minority report of the selected passages from Sir Michael O'Dwyer's evidence when the context has not been made available for the information of Parliament?

Lord Sinha replied: (1) Arising out of the consideration of the whole case by the Cabinet Committee, there was telegraphic correspondence between the Secretary of State for India and the Government of India, which resulted in certain modification of the original drafts of the two despatches issued.

(2) It is always desirable to treat as confidential evidence given in camera and the Government of India are strongly opposed to the publication of the evidences of the witnesses mentioned for reasons, which the Secretary of State for India regards as concluisve. I have no doubt that the noble Lord has noticed that portions of the evidence of Sir Michael O'Dwyer were quoted both in the majority and minority reports. The conduct of the Committee is obviously a matter for the Chairman. I, therefore, do not propose to express any opinion.

MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONER.

HAS HE RIGHT TO WRITE MINUTE?

On the requisition of Messrs. Nadirshaw H. E. Sukhia, Morarji M. Kamdar, S. C. Dhondy, A. A. Gaya, R. T. Nariman, N. M. Joshi, Manaji Rajooji, Rajaram Tukaram, A. E. Fazla, B. N. Motivala, M. C. Javle, Hoosein A. Lalljee, Navroji M. Dumasia, B. N. Gamudia, M. B. Velkar, Jehangir B. Baman-Behram, members of the Bombay Municipal Corporation a special meeting of the Corporation has been convened for Thursday the 29th July next at 4 p.m. (B. T.) to consider the legality of the Commissioner's claim for writing a minute on the report of the Sub-Committee of the Standing Committee regarding the proposals for the revision of the schedule of the Municipal Secretary's office staff.

THURSDAY'S FIRE.

IMMENSE DAMAGE.

CLOTH BUSINESS PRACTICALLY SUSPENDED.

Friday noon has not seen the end of the fire in the Mulji Jetha Market, which commenced on the night of Thursday. The market is a huge collection of shops big and small placed under one roof, with thin wooden partitions in between. The main frontage is on the Shaik Memon Street, while it spreads itself in all directions round and about the many narrow streets and lanes surrounding the market. The extent of the market may be gauged by the large number of shops which it covers numbering about 900 to 950 at the most. The exact number it is difficult to ascertain. While the main structure is a ground floor one, there is a sort of upper floor in the centre. The ground floor is a complicated one, more or less resembling a maze, with numerous entrances from all the streets, numbering about 17. There are about 20 lanes, and alleys with roughly fifty shops in each. Both wholesalers and retailers do business there, and it is the biggest market not only in Bombay, but, perhaps, in the whole of India.

Peculiarity of the fire.

The fire which started on Thursday night being widespread and very destructive, did not do damage to the extent then imagined. It was once feared that the whole market with its congeries of shops would be totally destroyed. From outside, the damage is not to be seen at all for the row of shops in the front of the building are almost intact; the upper floor, where the piecegoods merchants' offices are situated, also does not appear to have been damaged by the fire. The external damage from all sides is insignificant, and no one could imagine for a moment that such a huge conflagration had taken place inside, only a few hours before.

Origin not traced.

In such a huge fire it is impossible to locate the fire, and there can be only guesswork in this direction. The fire, it is stated, originated in a stall near the Bhajia Gully, one of the lanes in the market. It was fortunate that as soon as the fire was detected at 8-45 p.m. on Thursday night the fire brigade people were summoned to the scene, and the engine from the Fort was the first to come to the market. In a short time about ten engines from the different parts of the city collected there. This combined effort of so many engines was successful in bringing the fire under control about 1[illegible] a.m., but the cloth and other inflammable material stored in the market has been till the time of writing smouldering. It will take perhaps some time more to extinguish the fire altogether, but there is no danger of a conflagration. The fire brigade people were ably assisted by the Salvage Corps in putting out the fire.

Market closed.

Owing to the closing of the market to the public, as well as the owners, it is not possible to assess the exact amount of damage. This stopping of all ingress even to owners, is, we are informed, with a view to putting a stop to thefts and pilfering.

Estimated loss.

Owing to the extensive damage it is a very difficult task to approximate the loss. But the men who know something about this, estimate it about sixty per cent. of the contents of the shops. The same amount of damage may have been done to the structure itself, both by fire and water. These can only be guesses, and no man has the slightest idea of the quantity of cloth stored in the shops. But it must be said that the shop was not used as a godown, but merely as a showroom, and the retail shops only buy cloth for their immediate needs. The dealers store their goods in the Port Trust and other warehouses in the docks, and there were no large accumulations in the Mulji Jetha Market itself. The extent of the damage as given by us before this may be taken as correct, with a crore or so more. At the most the loss cannot be greater than three or four crores of rupees. The heaviest loss was however to the valuables and jewellery of the dealers which are kept in safes in the shops. All the dealers, for the sake of safety, keep their household ornaments and jewellery in the shops, where there are Ramoshis on the watch at night. This loss is, in itself, huge, and must amount to several crores. Altogether the loss might be put down about the figure of six or seven crores. These are, however, mere guesses, and wild guesses at that, at truth.

Losses of Insurance Companies.

The losses of the insurance companies must be heavy as it is stated that something like three-fourths of the goods were insured with several companies. The companies are busy assessing their losses. The Salvage Corps and the Municipal Fire Brigade authorities are also busy collecting figures about the actual losses, and this process will last over some days.

The chief sufferers !

The following are the gulleys which have suffered the chief destruction by the conflagration: Ingreji Gulley, Anant Rushi Gulley, Gamti Gulley and Sonapur Gulley; the following were partially destroyed by the fire: Chowk, Sunder Chowk, Bungla Gulley and the Kamdhenu Gulley.

The following are among the chief dealers who have suffered by the fire: Messrs. Hemraj Kanji, Gopalji Valji, Ramdas Madhowji, Narandas Morarji, Cowasji Temulji, Valabhdas Ramji, Bhavanidas Kasidas, Morarji Velji, Bhukandas Govindji and Khatau Makanji

Tribute to Fire Brigade.

It is fortunate that the fire brigade authorities succeeded in confining the fire to a part of the market, for had it spread the damage would have been enormous. The market is surrounded on all sides by buildings where large quantities of cloth are stored. Not only that, but it is one of the most thickly populated localities and if the fire had spread the consequences can only be imagined than described.

Casualties.

So far only one man has died, Nathubhai Ghelabhai, of shock as he was caught in the huge crowd that gathered itself round the area of the fire. Two lascars were slightly injured, and one European foreman. These men have been detained in the G. T. Hospital.

The Lakhmidas Khimji Market was closed yesterday owing to the fire.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

In connection with the disastrous fire that destroyed three-fourths of the Mulji Jetha Cloth Market on Thursday night, Mr. Walker, the Superintendent of Police, "B" Division, has submitted the following report on Friday morning, to the Commissioner of Police:—

At about 8-30 p.m. yesterday, a fire broke out in the Mulji Jetha Cloth Market in a shop at Bhajia Gulley (off New Hanuman Lane) and rapidly spread till three-fourths of the Market was involved. The fire brigade were soon on the scene and after four and a half hours' labour succeeded in bringing the fire under control. The cause of the fire loss of life and damage to property is not yet known. One European and two Indian firemen were injured, the latter being removed to and detained in the G. T. Hospital. The fire brigade is still working.

INQUEST ON SHOPKEEPER'S DEVTH.

Mr. A. R King, the local Coroner and a common jury, yesterday morning held an inquest touching the death of Nathubhai Ghelabhai, a cloth shopkeeper at Mulji Jetha Market, who died of shock, in his shop which was not insured, catching fire.

Gokuldas, the deceased's son said at 8 p.m. on Thursday night when the fire broke out, the deceased was in his shop. The fire originated in an adjoining shop and a crowd gathered. The witness missed the deceased in the crowd. Subsequently he saw his father fall but he did not think that any thing serious had happened to him.

Hirji Kesavji, a cloth-broker said the deceased was standing near him and looking at the fire. When his shop caught fire he was much distressed. He took the deceased by the hand to lead him out of the crowd, but whilst going through the crowd he lost hold of the deceased's hand. He saw the deceased fall on his back immediately after and the crowd was so thick that witness lost sight of him.

Police Naik No. 509-B, said when dispersing the crowd he saw the deceased seated near the market-gate, and he was told that the deceased received a shock at the sight of the fire and was feeling giddy. The deceased's son came and took him away.

Dr. Nunan, the Police Surgeon, who held a post-mortem examination on the body, said the cause of death was the failure of a dialeted fatty heart probably caused by mental distress.

The jury recorded that the death was caused by failure of a dialeted heart on receiving a shock by the burning of his shop in the Mulji Jetha Market.

400 SHOPS GUTTED.

SEVERAL DEALERS TOTALLY RUINED.

(LATER ACCOUNT)

The owners of the Mulji Jetha Market are the New Piecegoods Bazar Co., Ltd. and some four hundred shops have been completely gutted by the flames. Besides this, a large number of buildings round about the Market have been damaged both by the flames and water, in the efforts of the authorities to keep the flames confined to the principal market. The portion of the Market between the entrances in Ganeshwadi and Vithalwadi has been completely gutted, and is now a ruined heap. Many of the shops surrounding the Market have also been more or less damaged. Owing to the rapidity with which the fire spread, the shopkeepers were unable to save their belongings; besides there was the danger of the roof falling over and if there was a great rush many lives might have been endangered. Owing to this the owners were unable to get at their safes or save much of their belongings.

POLICE IN POSSESSION OF MARKET.

The whole Market is in the possession of the police, and there is a great deal of dissatisfaction among the owners on account of this. About 5 p.m., the Police Commissioner allowed permission to some to get in to remove their valuables. Mr. Narandas Purshotam rendered very valuable service during Thursday night, and on Friday to the owners of the shops and the police in putting out the fire.

NO. OF SHOPS INSURED 25 PER CENT.

On further information it appears that only about 25 per cent. of the shops were insured, and some of the dealers have been totally ruined by the fire. The servants of the merchants who found shelter in the Market at nights have become homeless now. On Thursday night the Bhawanji Dongersey Industrial Home, at Kalbadevi accommodated these poor men.

400 SHOPS DESTROYED.

It has now been established beyond doubt that the number of shops destroyed is about 400, and the greatest havoc by fire was made in those parts of the Market where the shops were mainly built of wood. Those that were built of bricks have stood the fire very well. The fire is still smouldering and the firemen are at still at it.

BISHOP OF CALCUTTA.

RECEIVES HON, D. D. OF OXFORD.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
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The Oxford University has conferred the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Divinity on the Bishop of Calcutta.

TILAK AT 65.

PUBLIC CELEBRATION IN BOMBAY.

"AN IDEAL PATRIOT."

Under the auspices of the Bombay National Union the sixty-fifth birthday of Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak was celebrated at the Morarji Goculdas Hall, Mr. Joseph Baptista, the President of the Union, presiding.

Mr. Nene, in proposing that Mr. Baptista should take the chair, said they were all sorry that Mr. Tilak was lying ill for the last three days, but they were glad that the doctors had assured them that the fever would leave him to-morrow.

His Holiness Kurtakoti had wired from Nasik:—"His Holiness confers upon Lok. Tilak the title of "Rashtra Sutradhara" with blessings. Please announce at birthday celebrations meeting."

Mr. V. M. Pawar, seconding, said Mr. Tilak was the leader of not only Brahmins, but also of non-Brahmins, and his presence there that day was to dispel those doubts. Some scheming people, for purposes of their own, had purposely created those differences, but he wanted to assure them that Mr Tilak was as much his leader as that of the Brahmins. (Cheers.)

The chairman then called upon Mr. Paranjpye to address the meeting.

MR. PARANJPYE'S SPEECH.

Mr. S. M. Paranjpye said they were celebrating the birthday not only of a great personality, but also of a great and valuable national asset. It was not merely a personal question, but it was a national one also. Because it was national, they had all gathered there to celebrate the birthday of Mr Tilak. It was necessary, for their own sake that they should celebrate more often, than they have been hitherto doing, the birthdays of their national heroes. Their one aim in life was to become one nation, by merging all their petty differences for the advancement of their country and for the attainment of the goal which they all had so much at heart.

Only 25 years ago few Indians had realised the greatness of Shivaji, but now they were celebrating his birthday every year, and they were worshipping his memory, and he was enthroned in their hearts as their national idol and ideal. Indians had clean forgotten their Shivaji, which was a most deplorable thing. But their generous Government had not forgotten him; they were generously spending a sum of Rs. 5 per year on the upkeep of his mausoleum at Rajgadh. What was the main purpose underlying these celebrations? That purpose was that they should raise themselves in their own estimation, that they should have more respect for their ownselves, that they should have pride in their nationality, in their patriotism. Self-confidence was the one thing that was required and when they had acquired that great quality they might take it for granted that half their battle was won. Because they had no confidence in themselves they had become diffident of their own ability to do many things. On account of this very diffidence they had become cowards. He was glad that Mr. Pawar had come forward to tell them publicly that Mr. Tilak was the leader of non-Brahmins also.

MR. TILAK'S POPULARITY.

Some of Mr. Tilak's enemies were saying that he had gained his popularity at the cost of his opponents, but, asked the speaker, where was his crime in that? It was the duty of every man to oppose his enemies and fight them, and if his principles had gained more popularity and found wider acceptance through his advocacy, there was certainly nothing heinous in that! Mr. Tilak did not hate his opponents as such, but he fought their principles which he thought were inimical to the best interests of his country and countrymen. There was no personal rancour in all he did. Mr. Tilak should be an object of worship not only to Bombay Presidency, but to the whole of India, on account of his eminent services to this country.

AN IDEAL PATRIOT.

Sir George Lloyd had, at the opening of the Karnatak College, enumerated some of the qualities which a real patriot should possess, and if there was one person in whom such patriotism was more to be seen than in any other man, it was Mr. Tilak. (Cheers.) They all prayed that Mr. Tilak should recover his health and lead them from victory to victory for the sake of their country, and for their own sake. (Loud cheers.)

He then moved:—

(a) That this public meeting held under the auspices of the Bombay National Union offers its hearty congratulations to Lokmanya Tilak on his 65th birthday and prays God to spare him for many a year for the nation to lead it to victory in its present struggle for Self-Government or Swaraj.

(b) That a Deputation, consisting of Messrs. Baptista, C. V. Vaidya, Jamnadas Mehta, S. M. Paranjpye and Mr. Mojawalla should wait upon Lok. Tilak and personally offer him congratulations on behalf of this meeting.

MR. J. M. MEHTA

Mr. J. M. Mehta said no sacrifice had been too great for Mr. Tilak for the sake of his country. But his critics said he was destructive man. Yes, he was destructive of the long spell of degradation and illusion in which this country was living for the last 60 years. He had destroyed that illusion for ever. If any man had made men of them, it was Mr. Tilak. It was he who had made a man of the Indian. There was not a single man in this country who did not love Mr. Tilak.

The University was going to degrade the degree of LL.D. by conferring it on two individuals who were no doubt practical and successful, but they were not deserving. If any man deserved that degree it was Mr. Tilak, the author of so many original books. If they had a national university these degrees would not have been granted on these two individuals.

RAO BAHADUR C. V. VAIDYA.

Rao Bahadur C. V. Vaidya said so long as Indians did not realise their own inherent strength they would not be able to achieve anything. It was Mr. Tilak that discovered this inherent strength. It was due to Mr. Tilak, through his paper "Kesari" that Indians had at last realised that they were men and not sheep. By his work for the advancement of this country he had immortalised his name for ever, and writ his name large in the annals of this country, and his grateful countrymen would never forget them. They required the services of a Tilak for a long time to come.

Mr. G. B. Vaidya said the message of Mr. Tilak's life was that Indians should fearlessly fight the battle which they were now fighting with their opponents and gain Swaraj.

MR. KOLHATKER'S ATTEMPT TO SPEAK.

At this stage owing to insistent cries, Mr. A. B. Kolhatker of "Sandesh" was called upon to address the meeting. But as there were opposing cries Mr. Baptista took votes and as there were more in favour of his addressing, Mr. Baptista asked Mr. Kolhatker to speak. This he was not allowed to do owing to the loud cries of the opposition, and in spite of Mr. Kolhatker's best efforts, the opponents persisted and as their attitude was threatening he had to retire from the unequal contest. The audience was, however, calmed down by the efforts of the leaders.

The resolution was then put to vote and passed.

CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS.

The Chairman said he wanted to address them, but on account of their behaviour he would not do so. What comparison was there between Mr. Tilak and Mr. Kolhatker. Under a democratic government they would have to listen to all parties. He did not think Mr. Kolhtaker had done any service to the cause of India and to Mr. Tilak by appearing that night. He feared Mr. Kolhatker had sent his emissaries amongst them.

The meeting then terminated.

SEDITIOUS MEETINGS ACT.

TO BE APPLIED TO DELHI PROVINCE.

FROM 28TH JULY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, July 23.

A press communique, issued to-day states that a notification, which will appear in the next "Gazette," has been issued by the Chief Commissioner of Delhi, declaring the province of Delhi to be a proclaimed area under the Seditious Meetings Act of 1911, taking effect from the 28th July, 1920.

SUBSIDY PAID TO IBN SAUD.

ITS CONDITIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
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Replying to Major Ormsby-Gore, Mr Montagu said the subsidy paid to Ibn Saud since the Turkish armistice totalled a hundred thousand sterling. The incidence of the cost had not yet been finally settled. The subsidy was continuing to be paid on the conditions which Ibn had accepted, including the condition that he must meet King Hussein with a view to reconciling the differences. He thought that a meeting would occur almost immediately.

BOMB OUTRAGE AT RAWAL PINDI.

ATTEMPT ON OFFICER'S LIFE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, July 22.

The "C. and M. Gazette" says:—We hear from Rawalpindi that a second bomb outrage has occurred there. It is stated that an officer who was proceeding along a road in a motor car at about 11-45 p.m. on Tuesday night suddenly heard a loud report and found that a large hole had been made in the floor of his car by the explosion of a bomb. 'Pindi it is further stated, has been greatly roused by Mr. Gandhi's visit and processions are being organised through the bazaars urging the inhabitants to emigrate.

C. S. WIDOWS AND ORPHANS' FUND.

MR. MONTAGU ON LOWERING RATE OF INTEREST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 12-30 p.m., July 23.

Sir Joyson Hicks asked what was the justification for allowing the Indian Civil Service Widows and Orphans' Fund lower the rate of interest than the market rate.

Mr. Montagu replied that the rates of interest were fixed with a view to giving substantially fair results over a considerable period of years. It was not desirable too frequently to change the rates.

A CASE OF INFRINGEMENT OF COPY RIGHT DISMISSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

The action which the executors of the late Mr. Charles Vining, author of the play "Diego" brought against the producers of the "Maid of the Mountains" for infringement of copyright has been dismissed with costs.

LATEST CABLES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 1-25 a.m., July 24.

There has been fighting in Belfast shipyards. Unionists refused to work with Sinn Feiners, driving them out. Some jumped into the river and swam across. A score were injured. Subsequently, Sinn Feiners stoned Unionist shipyard workers returning from work, and troops fixed bayonets and stopped the fighting.

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A Cairo message to "The Times" says that the Syrian Government is appealing to the League of Nations.

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Replying in the House of Commons to Mr. Lambert, Mr. Lloyd George said that our present difficulties in Mesopotamia were temporary. He was convinced that they would be overcome. Government saw no reason to abandon the British mandate for Mesopotamia.

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Replying to Lord Robert Cecil, the Premier said he thought that the cost of reinforcements would fall on Britain and not on India.

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Mr. Rees asked a question with regard to the British Military Mission in Persia, expenditure of British loan and the bearing upon it of the Bolshevist pressure on the Caspian coast. Mr. Harmsworth replied that the Government and the new Persian Cabinet were at present in communication with regard to the whole question.

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Replying to Mr. Devlin with regard to the trouble in Belfast, which Mr. Devlin described as due to the organised attack on Catholic workers on Twin Islands, Sir Hama Greenwood stated that there had been a good deal of looting. The military had been fired on and had returned fire. About seventy persons had been treated in hospital, twenty-five for gunshot wounds of whom three had died. A number of police had been wounded, but not seriously. The city was quiet this morning, but there was further fighting in the dinner-hour and two ironworkers and a soldier were wounded. There was considerable military force in the city and the commander had been fully empowered and every step had been taken to guard against an outbreak of disorder.

Ulsterman Donald and Sir Edward Carson protested against Mr. Devlin's description. They declared that the trouble was due to Sinn Feiners producing revolvers at a meeting held to protest against the murder of Colonel Smyth.

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Mr. Devlin denied that they were Sinn Feiners and declared that the people had been incited.

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A Cairo message to "The Times" says that the King of Hedjaz has telegraphed to Mr. Lloyd George expressing surprise and disappointment at the aggressive French policy in Syria and asking for the intervention of Britain. He says he is unable to control Emir Feisul's brothers or to prevent them from helping Emir Feisul.

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A "Times" telegram from Jerusalem says that Bolshevism is making progress in Syria. A letter from Trotsky and Lenin has been circulated, which recognises Arab independence.

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Paris.—The Messageries Maritimes Company will shortly inaugurate a new cargo line from Antwerp to Calcutta, calling at Port Said, Aden, Colombo, Pondicherry and Madras.

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London, July 23.—Mr. Lloyd George receiving the deputation of the Trades Union Congress on the subject of Ireland, expressed his willingness to confer on Ireland any form of Government within the British Empire which was acceptable to the people as a whole, but he asked for an assurance that Dominion Home Rule would be accepted by the south and west of Ireland.

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Sandyhook.—The third race was sailed on the windward and leeward course. The Shamrock led at the start, but the Resolute crossed her bows an hour later and increased her lead to half a mile. She rounded the halfway mark a minute and three-quarters ahead. On the homeward run the Shamrock repassed the Resolute and finished eighteen seconds a head, but was therefore beaten on the time allowance by seven minutes and one second. Navy blimp observing the race fell into Jamaica Bay. The crew and newspaper men on board her were easily rescued.

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Interesting experiments a wireless telephony are proceeding on in connection with the voyage of the liner Victorian conveying members of the Empire Press Conference to Canada. Continuous telephonic communication has been established between Victorian and the wireless station at Chelmsford and a wireless concert was given from Chelmsford in the first class lounge of the vessel, when she was six hundred miles to west. The Victorian is also provided with morning and evening editions of newspaper, for the first time in the history of ocean travel. It is expected that the Victorian which left Liverpool at night on the 20th will be in telephonic communication with St. John's to-night.

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The London Gazette announces the following awards in recognition of valuable services in connection with military opeartion within the Indian Empire or territoires adjacent thereto:—

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C.B.E.

Lieut.-Col. W. B. Abbey; Major L. E. Burne.

O.B.E.

Majors G. L. Farrant, H. D. Marshall, W. B. White; Captains A. S. Shah, W. N. Greer, D. V. O'Malley, G. E. Scott; Lieut. C. G. Kaymount.

M.B.E.

Lieut.-Commander H. P. Hughes-Hallett; Capt. J. H. Copeland; Lieuptenants V. A. Boaman, G. D. Walker, E. J. Wilkinson.

There is also a large number of men mentioned in despatches.

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The King and Queen to-day received the Dowager Maharani of Cooch Behar.

CHINESE REVOLUTION.

ANFUITES AT GATE OF PEKING.

GENERAL LOOTING LIKELY TO BREAK OUT.

(REUTER'S TEEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

Peking, July 19th.—Over five thousand defeated Anfuites have arrived at the gates of Peking which are closed. It is feared that general looting will break out in Peking owing to the belief that Tuanchiyui's cause has failed.

The Peking-Tientsin Railway has been cleared but is greatly congested.

Shortly be possible.

Lieut. A. Shelton-Agar and Baroness Furnivall were married at the Westminster Cathedral to-day.

MILITARY LORRY AMBUSHED

AN OFFICER FATALLY WOUNDED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

A military lorry was ambushed last night near Macroom in Ireland. The driver rushed through a hail of shot but an officer was fatally wounded, two soldiers were seriously wounded and three slightly.

IRISH REPUBLICAN VOLUNTEERS.

COMPULSORY SERVICE AND LEVY OF TAX.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

The Roscommon District Council has decided to impose on the inhabitants between seventeen and forty compulsory military service in the Republican volunteers and to levy six pence in a pound to cover the exoenditure for their training and equipment which the volunteers will be authorised to collect.

ANOTHER MAIL TRAIN STOPPED.

(REUTER'S TEEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

Another mail-train was stopped yesterday by an armed band near Carrick-on-Shannon and the mails removed.

FIRST SINN FEIN LAND COURT

DISPERSED ON ARRIVAL OF MILITARY AND POLICE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

The first Westmeath Sinn Fein Land Court opened at Mullingar yesterday. There was a large attendance of solicitors and client. The public proceedings had been in progress for an hour when a large force of the military and the police arrived with an armoured car. The president of the Court dispersed the meeting on a request.

RAVAGES BY SINN FEINERS.

DAMAGES ESTIMATED AT TWO MILLION STERLING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 22.
Recd. 12-30 p.m. July 23.

In the House of Commons at question time Sir Hamar Greenwood stated that it was estimated that two millions sterling of property had been destroyed by the Sinn Feiners in Ireland during 1919-20 including over a million sterling worth in Munster.

All possible steps were being taken to ascertain the whereabouts of General Lucas but up to the present there was no sign of him.

THE DEMAGE AT TUAM.

OFFICIAL ACCOUNT.

(REUTER'S TEEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

The damage done at Tuam is estimated at a hundred thousand sterling. The official account of the outbreak admits that the police broke control on seeing the bodies of their murdered comrades. The account adds that shots were fired. The police allege that they were fired on.

RAILWAY ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA.

COMPOSITION OF ENQUIRY COMMITTEE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 21.
Recd. 12-30 p.m., July 23.

In the House of Commons replying to Mr. Bennett, Mr. Montagu said that commercial interests would be adequately represented on the Committee of Enquiry into the railway administration in India.

Replying to Sir J. D. Rees, Mr. Montagu said that Committee would include members with expert knowledge and personal experience of the Indian railways.

SHAMROCK IV LOSES THIRD RACE ON TIME ALLOWANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, July 20.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., July 23.

SANDY HOOK.—The Shamrock finished eighteen seconds ahead, but lost on the time allowance. A fourth race takes place on Friday.

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SENSATIONAL STORY.

CHARGE AGAINST A ZEMINDAR.

VICTIM OF POLICE ZOOLUM?

(Associated Press.)

AGRA, July 22.

Mr. T. K. Johnstone I.C.S., Sessions Judge Agra, sitting with two assessors, neard the case in which Nihal Singh, a Zemindar is charged under section 395 I.P.C. Mr. Shiv Batt Bhargara, Government Pleader, appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Kadri, Bar-at-Law of Aligarh, Pandit Kailash Nata Kunz and Babu Nirt Kishore, vakils for the defence. Many zemindars and other spectators were present in the court.

It is alleged against the accused that he is a notorious dacoit and in this case shot at and wounded several villagers who resisted him and nearly shot the leader of the police party that eventually captured him.

The defence called no evidence, but Mr. Kadri recited a story which caused a sensation. He said that the accused was not a dacoit, but the victim of police persecution. About 15 years ago the police of Mainpuri went to search his house and, because of certain alleged illegalities, Nihal Singh resisted and assaulted the police officers. He was tried in the court of Sessions, but the judge Mr. Katara disbelieved the police story and acquitted him. The local Government then moved the High Court, where the lower court's decision was upheld. In consequence of this signal defeat, said counsel, the police were constantly persecuting the accused and in support of his arguments, counsel filed a judgment of Mr. Pullan, Sessions Judge of Mainpuri. Next, Mr. Kadri criticised the evidence of the police witnesses, who deposed that they recognised Nihal Singh at the scene of the dacoity with the aid of a hastily improvised torch. Counsel pointed out that people who pursued the dacoits did not carry torches, but the custom was for dacoits themselves to carry lights. Mr. Kadri emphasised his point by repeating, amidst much laughter, a Persian couplet which says "How bold is the thief who carries his own torch".

The assessors found the accused "not guilty". Judgment was reserved.

THE I. E. S.

PROMOTIONS FROM P. E. S.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July 22.

It is understood that the Government of India havt under consideration of transferring a large number of appointments from the Provincial educational service to the Indian educational service and that in the Punjab some six posts will be so transferred.

FOOTBALL IN CALCUTTA.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 22.

In the second semi-final of Calcutta Football Challenge Shield Tournament, Kumartuli qualified themselves for final round by beating Mohunbagans after great game by two goals to one. Mohunbagans are to thank themselves for their defeat as their forward seemed to be all at sea, when nearing their opponent's boal. There was a record attendance.

The final takes place on Saturday next Black watch and Kumartuli.

MOULANA ABDUL BARI'S VIEWS.

HIJRAT PERFECTLY LAWFUL,

(Associated Press.)

LUCKNOW, July 22.

Moulana Abdul Bari has sent the following telegram to the President, Khilafat Conference, Hyderabad, Sind: "I regret, I could not see the Sindh brothers, but fully agree with them that immigration should be considered upon. I finally consider "Hijrat" lawful. There is no reason for its prohibition. It is not obligatory, and therefore none should be compelled. Whosoever considers it proper, may migrate to any place where he can perform the "Difa" well. The "Hadises" contain goodness of "Hijrat" to Syria and "Dailum". The success is expected in Kabul, if non-Co-operation be impracticable. Mr. Gandhi also will not prohibit migration. The Majority of the "Ulemas" is of opinion that either, Non-Co-operation or "Hijrat" should be acted upon. I agree with it. Till the "Difa" is incumbant, We will act according to the advice by which this "Farz" may be performed. Mr. Gandhi shows the way, while his opponents do not; and therefore their words have no effect. There is no other course but acting according to Mr. Gandhi's advice.

WELCOME TO THE PRINCE OF WALES.

About the reception of the Prince of Wales, the Khilafat Committee will declare its policy after the decision of the Congress and the Muslim League are made known. I think that the independent Indian *raisis* who have concluded treaties with the Indian Government or have diplomatic relations should not be meddled with.

We showed them their religious duty and to meddle with them further will obstruct our business.

There must be a few hours' strike every week or month if Mr. Gandhi does not oppose it. Institute the "Baitulmal" wherefrom money can be sent to the Ameer for helping the immigrants. Those who resign their posts tender the non-co-operation policy must receive some aid. Those turncoats who in their greed of money sell their conscience should be dissuaded. I think the Ameer should be requested to hold the Uleman Conference in Kabul.

COW SACRIFICES.

I think the sacrifice of a goat in "Bakri Id Zaqreed" is better than that of a cow, provided the price of 1/7 part of a cow be not higher than the price of a goat and the beef be not more delicious. I will do the better and request the Musalmans to do the same, provided that the Hindus may not forcibly oppose the cow sacrifice as it is expected from them."

SIR P. T. CHETTIAR.

PRESENTATION OF ADDRESSES.

(Associated Press.)

BANGALORE, July 21.

A public entertainment was given to Sir P. Thyagaraja Chettiar, when addresses were read recounting the services of Sir P. T. Chettiar to the cause of public life in this country. Special references were made to the South Indian Liberal Federation, which was started by him in co-operation with the late Dr. Nair.

Sir Thyagaraja Chettiar then unveiled the statue of the late Mr. Basavaiyya who had worked for the elevation of the backward and depressed classes in the State.

REVERSE COUNCILS.

PROVINCIAL ALLOTMENTS.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, July 22.

To-day the amount of applications for reverse coucils was £103,960,000, immediate being £97,460,000 and deferreds £6,000,500. Out of these applications £1,000,000 have been allotted thus:—Calcutta 399,000, Bombay 549,000 Madras 52,000.

MODERN INDIAN ART.

MR. GLADSTON SOLOMON'S LECTURE

On Wednesday last, Mr. Gladstone Solomon, Principal, Bombay School of Art, delivered, before a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen, a lecture on "the Modern Indian Art," at the Art Society of India. Mr. Woods-Hill presided over the meeting.

In reviewing briefly the present position of art in India and considering its future prospects and their procedure they wanted to follow, they should said the speaker, approach the subject by ridding their minds first of all of the mass of loudly voiced opinions, literary and popular, which almost overwhelmed them with their clamour and which, the speaker was afraid, did a great deal to prevent their ears from catching the sounds of the divine voices which whispered to them of their hope.

The critics were, on the whole, condemnatory and pessimistic. They were eager to point out to them whether they were painters, architects or sculptors—the slough of despondency in which they were supposed to be wallowing with their burden of inefficiency and ignorance dragging them down like the hero in the "Pilgrim's Progress." Some of them who did not wholly despair, were kind enough to point to them a way out of the morass which they assured them (the artists) was the only way out.

The way they spoke of meant the retracing of their steps. If they were willing to exclaim, "we have sinned" to beat their breasts in repentance and to listen to the commands of their instructors to return to masters who died some thousands of years ago—then would be revived into the select band who could be called exponents of Indian Art? There were many people who would have them believe that Indian Artists of to day must adopt the conventions of the Indian artists of a long dead yesterday or the Indian Art could not be saved; but the speaker was out to combat that view. He was against a return to slavish copying of the old models. The fraud could not last. They would not crown themselves with the laurels, that they had not fairly won. That was the redeeming truth in the Art situation as far as their Presidency was concerned.

ART IN BOMBAY.

As for the position of Art in Bombay, the speaker said it was unsatisfactory as far as two of its three branches were concerned, namely painting, and sculpture. Painting, the speaker observed, was suffering from three main hindrances to its progress. They were first a lack of patronage and sympathy on the part of the public; secondly, a bad tradition and thirdly want of form and disign. With recard to the first reason it was a very strange but very sad truth that in this magnificent city the young painters should find so few patrons to purchase their works. Then came the bad tradition by which the speaker meant a wrong way of doing things, the general adoption of a standardised system which was wrong. Many pictures painted under the influence of this bad tradition only required a little more knowledge of form and design to make them different works indeed. They could only eliminate their soul-killing tradition by going past the masters, the critics and the pandits. They must bound their pictures upon nature as upon a rock. There were many difficulties but they must face and overcome them. They must learn to improve. If they would paint their picture as sincerely as possible, verifying the right from colour and tone from Nature, they would find themselves at last in the spacious places wherein knowledge dwelt.

THE CHAIRMAN.

Mr. Woods-Hill, who presided remarked that in the past there was a discussion between the painters and the architects and the latter were to blame for the disruption because they thought they were more scientific than their brethren. In his opinion it was not so. All Art was science. If they wanted to go to Nature they must go with accurate knowledge. Art must be selective. They must go to Nature and select from her turning multitude by their great human gift of the ability to select. If the Indian Nation did that, the result would be originality instead of copying.

After a vote of thanks to the Chairman and the lecturer the gathering broke up.

BEWARE OF THE BLANK CHEQUE.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Fast on the heels of his magniloquent speech in the House of Colmons on the Dyer Debate, comes Mr. Montagu's reply to Mr. Gwyne in respect of Mr. Gandhi's activities, which has given a rude shock to all India. Mr. Montagu characterised *"Mr. Gandhi's efforts as thoroughly mischievous!"* Is that so, please? Let us see.

(1) What is the basis of Mr. Montagu's statement?

Of course, the report he should have received from the Government of India!

(2) Who are then the informants of Mr. Montagu?

The Government of India!

(3) Who are the informants of the Government of India?

The Provincial Governments!

(4) Where are the Headquarters of Mr. Gandhi?

The Bombay Presidency.

(5) Where are his principal activities?

The Bombay Presidency.

(6) Where does he edit his "Young India" and the "Navjivan?"

The Bombay Presidency.

(7) Has he ever preached violence?

No, never.

(8) Has he ever written or spoken anything, that would create or cause any mischief?

No, never.

(9) Has he not always begged of all to abstain from violence?

Yes.

(10) Has he not always controlled all movements on peaceful lines?

Yes.

(11) Has he not on all occasions condemned all acts of violence?

Yes.

(12) Has he not abstained from any movement that has the least tendency towards violence?

Yes.

(13) So, how are his efforts mischievous?

We can't comprehend.

(14) Has the Provincial Government found it so.

We can't imagine.

(15) How can the Indian Government act on its own independent information and initiative, if the Provincial Government has different information and different views?

(16) And, sir, is Mr. Monatgu seriously believing that Mr. Gandhi's efforts are thoroughly mischievous?

(17) Is he then disposed to take as gospel truth all the cables he receives from the Government of India?

(18) Is he not a whit wiser by his experience of the way and form in which the Indian Government kept him ignorant of the terrible details of the Martial Law in the Punjab?

(19) Can he be true to his high office, if he gives a *carte blanche* to the Government of India, that has wholly failed in its high and humane responsibilities during the Martial Law regime in the Punjab?

(20) Has not each and every responsible leader in India expressed himself unequivocally on the subject?

(21) Has not the loyalist of loyalists, Sir Narayan Chandavarkar, said in specific terms that Lord Chelmsford should now retire?

(22) Has not almost all the leading political Associations of India demanded the recall of Lord Chelmsford? ?

(23) Is not Mr. Montagu flouting the united opinion of all India, when he declares, that he is "prepared to support any steps which the Government of India thought necessary in the present difficult conditions"?

(24) Can India receive this message unmoved?

(25) Can the leaders accept it without protest?

(26) Can we imagine what a terrible situation may arise, if a freehand is given to the Government of India?

(27) Will not our leaders, our Labour Friends and our whole Press unite in opposing this hazardous policy of handing over the present difficult situation to the tender mercies of Government of India?

Sir, the situation is grave. But graver still are the responsibilities of our leaders. And their bold and timely action will be a sure warning to Government:—"Quo Vadis?" Halt and reconsider. May Heaven guide them aright!

Amen!—Yours, etc.

BARJORJI FRAMJI BHARUCHA.

BENGALEES AND PUNJAB.

LALA LAJPATRAI'S GRIEVANCE.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July 22.

In a signed article in "Bande Mataram," Lala Rajpat Rai acknowledges the good work done by the Indian Association of Calcutta and the Hon. Mr. Surendranath Banerji and Bengali Nationalist leaders, but adds that he feels grieved to-day that Bengal did considerably short of the expectations formed of her in the hour of the Punjab's troubles, specially in view of her brilliant record in the past.

He congratulates the Hon. Mr. Sarma on his appointment and expresses full confidence, born of personal knowledge, that his appointment will lead to the good of the country.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

ON KOTRI-KARACHI SECTION.

(Associated Press.)

KARACHI, July, 22.

Early this morning, number 106 down goods train parted between Meting and Latifchang on the Kotri-Karachi section. The rear portion rolled on to and collided with the front portion, causing sixteen wagons to be derailed. One van cooly is killed and two van checkers are injured. Both the lines are blocked. Transhipment of passengers and mails is being carried out. The line is likely to be cleared for traffic by to-morrow. The district officers are at the scene of the accident.

"THE GREATER MISCREANTS"

WILL THEY GO?

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, July, 22.

The "Tribune" says that of the nine officers named in the Congress Sub-Committee's report as having abused their powers during martial law, Sir Michael O'Dwyer, General Dyer, Colonel Frank Johnson are no longer in Government service and Mr. Bosworth Smith has either left or is about to leave India. It adds that it is fairly certain that by the time the new Council meets such of the remaining five as are mentioned in the Hunter Report and by the Government of India as having abused their (authority) will either cease to be in service of Government or be otherwise suitably dealt with.

FIRST OLYMPIC GAMES OF INDIA,

TO BE HELD IN OCTOBER.

(Associated Press.)

POONA, July 22.

The first Olympic games of India are to be held at the Deccan Gymkhana, Poona under the patronage of His Excellency Sir George Lloyd from the 16th to 23rd October, 1920. The Western India special wrestling and athletic tournaments held last November attracted 30,000 spectators and over 1100 competitors. This year's meeting is expected to be a bigger one as the entries are expected from several provincial branches of the Indian Olympic Association formed at different centres throughout the country. Wrestling is open to professional amateurs, school and college students, general athletics, gymnastics, etc. Cycling, swimming and team competitions are included in the programme. The entries close on the 1st October. The rules and regulations of the international Olympic games will be followed, wherever possible Medals and prizes worth about Rs. 11,000 are to be given.

MOSLEM UNIVERSITY BILL.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA July 22.

Sanction has been given by the Secretary of State to the introduction of the Moslem University Bill in the Legislative Council.

CAUSE LIST.

BOARD FOR SATURDAY, THE 24TH OF JULY, 1920.

CHAMBER BOARD FOR SATURDAY THE 24TH OF JULY 1920,

BEFORE THE HON CHIEF JUSTICE

CHAMBER MATTERS FOR DISPOSAL IN CHAMBERS.

LIST A ATTORNEYS.

MISCELLANEOUS SUMMONSES.

902-19—Madhowji K and Ch. Nomanbhai Mulla Lakshmanji and ors v Abdool Hoosein Ebrahimji and ors, 9-7-20.
In Re as Arbitration Act IX of 1899, In Re Amed d 10-5-20—Mehta L and Co, Shivji Poonja Kothari a firm v Poonjabhai Jesraj and Co a firm, Amerchand and M. Matu J and M, 6-6-20.
1582-20—Bhai K and G. Maganlal Mulji v Motilal Kasturchand, J O 2-7-20.
1642-20—Hiralal Th and Co, Chunilal Girdharlal Ginwalla v Chhaganlal Chunilal, J O 6-7-20.
1116-20—Ard H D and Co, Sakarchand Tulsidockchand Sons a firm v Ayab Noor Mahomed Darbari a firm, Daphtary F and D, 13-7-20.
1724-20—N C Dalal, Damji Shiwji v Vagji Mohanji Kothari, J O 13-7-20.
2792-19—Malvi M R and Co, Ramnarayen Buldeodas a firm v Gordhandas Jayaden a firm, Motichand and D, 15-7-20.
2637-19—Merwanji K and Co, Radhakisan Sambhudas a firm v Jethabhai Hirji a firm Payne and Co, 16-7-20.
223-20—Amin and D, Varsi Rattonsi v Patton Kheraj, Ard H D and Co, 19-7-20.
905-19—Madhawji K and Ch. Gordhandas Morarji v Nandlal Thakersydas Patill and Ese, 20-7-20.

CHAMBER MATTERS FOR DISPOSAL (IN CHAMBER.)

LIST B. COUNSEL.

345-19—Jamshedji R and D, Madhowji Govindji v Morarji Goculdas a firm, Purnanand and Cl, 20-7-20.
238-19—Ard H D and Co, Lalji Nathubhai a firm v Thacker Ruttonsi Cursondas a firm, Sabnis and G.
112-20—Captain and V, Nanabhoy Hormasji Moos v J A Grant and Co a firm, Daphtary F and D, 20-7-20.
3251-19—Craigie B and Co, Harold Jeram Powell v Nowroji Wadia and Sons a firm, Ard H D and Co, 20-7-20.
J J 20—Tyabji D and Co, Pragji Dayal Hariam v Bai Monghibai widow, Motichand and D, 20-7-20.
448-20—Little and Co, Robert Stango Navarra v Lt-Col H E J Gidney I.M.S, Craigie B and C, 26-7-20.
1483-19—Malvi M R and Co, Ratilal Tribhowandas v Mahomed Usman and Co a firm and ors, Ard H D and Co, Shroff and V, Daph F and D, Part heard 20-7-20.

SHORT CAUSE.

3708-19—Parshottamrai and Co, Ranchhordas Mathuradas and Co a firm v Thakkar Morarji Jeram Narranji, Shroff and V.

LONG CAUSES.

3887-19—Captain and V, Bai Navibai widow v Bai Mithabai widow, Edg G W and Co.
333-20—Chitnis M and K, Ransey Bharmal v Jamsedji Kanjibhoy Desai, Payne & Co.
452-19—M B Chothia, Abdul Rehman Haji Hassam v Karsondas Shivji, Mehta L & Co.
1990-18—Surveyor and Co, The Union Lubricating Oil Co a firm v Chimanlal Harjiwardas and Co a firm, Unwalla P and P.
1277-15—Matubhai J and M, Khimji Bhojraj v Hirabai alias Bayabai widow and ors Ardeshir H D and Co, Mulla and M.
1278-15—Matubhai J and M, Bai Kankubai widow v Hirabai Bayabai widow and ors, Ardeshir H D and Co, Mulla M
1904-18—Judah and S, Selim Saul Reubin v H S M Kazrani and Sons a firm, Little and Co.
1927-19—Bhimji and Co, Padamsey Damodar a firm v Trikamdas Khimji a firm, Rustomji and G.
1863-18—M B Chothia, Aga Haji Mehdi Ispbani v H M Hassim Sedchi Sons a firm.
683-19—Jamsedji R and D, Mohanlal Narsandas and ors v Punjalal Dalsukh and ors, Tyabji D and Co, Pandia and Co.
715-19—In person, Sulleman Khamissa v Haji Hafiz Jaffer Mahomed, Crawford B and Co.
729-19—Mans H M and Co, Assaram Narsoo v Tricumji Jiwandas a firm, Kanga & S.
753-19—Motichand and D, Mangaldas Gonalji v Bai Jiwabai widow, Merwanji K and Co.
759-19—Dubash and Co, Kedarnath Bhugwandas a firm v Ramdhan and Deeswanchand a firm, Malvi M R and Co.
781-19—Little and Co, Rejnath Ramchandra v Manilal Girdhar a firm, M B Chothia.
784-19—Jehangir and S, Ibrahimji Adamji Rajkotewalla v George and Blackford a firm, Merwanji K and Co.
841-19—Forbes and Co, Moosaji Tyabally v Ebrahim Haji Issack, Matubhai J and M.

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Increase over 1918 .. .. .. „ 92,442,084

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Cash Income—Premium, Interest, etc. .. .. Rs. 21,255,402
Increase over 1918 .. .. .. „ 3,761,832

ASSETS

Assets at December 31st, 1919 .. .. Rs. 88,066,887
Increase over 1918 .. .. .. i, 7,821,708

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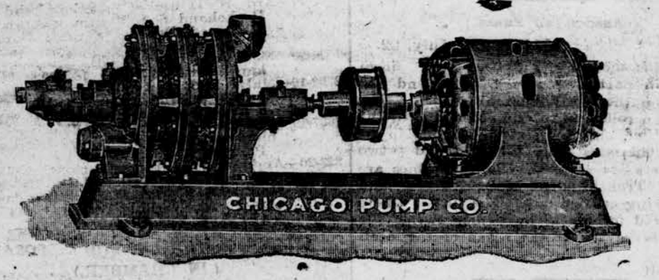

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THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

Total Rainfall up to 8 a. m. of 23rd July.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a. m. of 1920.	Total since 1st June, 1920.	June 1st to 8 a.m. of 23rd July. 1918.	1919.
	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.
Colaba (Observatory)	0·14	28·24	14·48	38·31
Fort (St. George's Hospital)	0·05	30·23	13·35	39·53
Esplanade (Gok Tej. Hospital)	0·08	29·85	14·26	38·52
Byculla (J. J. Hospital)	0·24	31·67	16·4	42·70

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 22nd July 1920.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m. 10 a.m. 2 p.m. 4 p. m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr.	29.565	Inches.
Temperature of Air	81.3	Degs.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.2	„
Dew Point	76.9	„
Relative humidity of Air	0.858	„
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy 10).	9.8	„
Maximum temperature of Air	85.1	„
minimum do.	79.2	„
General Direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	SW	
Movement of Wind	238	Miles.
Fall of Rain	0.29	Inches.
Total fall during month	26.07	„
Do. do. year	29.45	„
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 23rd	0.01	„

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights the tides in Bombay Harbour, during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at rince's Dock sill.

Day of Week	Day of Month	HIGH WATER Bombay mean Time	Depth on Sill.	Day of Month	LOW WATER Bombay mean Time.	Depth on Sill.
	July	h. m.	ft. in	July	h. m.	ft. in
Sat.	24	m 6 0	24 7	24	m 11 50a	21 5
Sun.	25	m 7 5 25a	24 6	25	m 0 24	18 6
		7 32	24 6		m 1 28a	21 3
Mon.	26	m 8 6 30a	24 0	26	m 1 30	18 5
		8 54	25 0		2 40a	21 5
Tues.	27	m 9 7 40a	23 11	27	m 2 21	18 2
		9 43	25 8		3 55a	20 18
Wed.	28	m 10 8 52a	24 2	28	m 3 6	17 9
		10 21	26 4		4 16a	20 2
Thur.	29	m 10 9 47a	24 8	29	m 3 45	17 3
		10 56	27 0		4 53a	19 1
Fri	30	m 11 10 32a	25 3	30	m 5 0	18 2
		11 41	28 1		5 57a	17 6

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Friday, the 23rd July 1920, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Ambala reports 0.17" of rain. Skies are moderately clouded in the east and north Punjab. Day temperature is above normal except at Multan, the excess ranging up to 12 degrees at Rawalpindi; night temperature has fallen in the east Punjab, but continues in excess elsewhere.

The United Provinces.—There has been nearly general rain; Agra reports 0.27"; Jhansi 0.52" Cawnpore 1.04" and Allahabad 0.33". Skies are moderately clouded. Day temperature is generally below normal.

Sind and Rajputana.—Mount Abu reports 0.18" of rain; cloud has increased in Rajputana and skies are moderately or heavily clouded except in upper Sind. Day temperature is in defect at Ajmer and Mount Abu.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Deesa reports 0.28" of rain and Surat 0.10". Skies are heavily clouded. Day temperature is in defect at Bhavnagar Para.

The Central Provinces.—Nearly general rain has fallen; Jubbulpore reports 1.68" of has fallen; Jubbulpore reports 1.68", Saugor 0.95", Amraoti 0.35", Chanda 1.51" and Raipur 1.25". Skies are overcast. Day tebperature is below normal at several stations.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been nearly general. Bombay has had 0.14". Ratnagiri 0.34". Mormugao 0.31" and Karwar 0.11". Skies are heavily clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Nearly general rain has fallen in north Hyderabad and local rain in the south Bombay Deccan; Nizamabad reports 0.62", Aurangabad 0.30" and Belgaum 0.35". Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Humidity is in defect at Ahmednagar and Sholapur.

General Remarks.—The steep gradients that had prevailed in north-west India have disappeared and conditions are now more favourable for rainfall there. Rainfall has been nearly general in north Malabar, the Konkan, north Hyderabad, the Central Provinces and the United Provinces and local in the south Bombay Deccan, Gujarat, east Punjab and on the hills of south Rajputana.

Forecast.—Rainfall is likely to extend in the Punjab, east Rajputana, Gujarat and Central India West, but May decrease in the United Provinces.

Bombay, 23rd July 1920.

India Telegraphic Summary for the 22nd July 1920.

The depression over deltaic Bengal has developed, but has not moved. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma Bihar and Orissa, the east of the United Provinces and of the Central Provinces, the Konkan and north Hyderabad, and local in Upper Burma, Bengal and Central India West. A few falls have also occurred in Assam, the west of the United Provinces, Gujarat the west of the Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan, Mysore and Malabar.

Chief amounts are:—Akyab four inches; Bhamo one; Saugor Island two; Sambalpur four; Chibasa, Hazaribagh, Daltonganj, one and a half; Ranchi, Gaya three; Gorakhpur two; Benares one; Bahraich three.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 HOURS ON FRIDAY, THE 23rd JULY 1920.

STATIONS	Temp in Shade: Maximum of past 24 hours.	Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity: 8 hrs.	Rainfall: Past 24 hours	Total, 1st June to date	Departure, 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire					0	
Do. (2nd)	91.7	84.6	78		0	—0.08
Jask	99.2	80.4	46		0	
Muskat	..	..	..		..	..
Do. ( )	..	..	..		..	..
PUNJAB—						
Multan	102.7	87.7	63	..	1.19	—0.64
Rawalpindi	108.7	81.0	71	0.01	4.19	—3.25
Lahore	105.1	82.0	72	..	1.19	—4.54
Hissar	103.7	81.1	69	..	0.76	—3.85
Ambala	97.0	76.9	83	0.17	6.56	—2.82
Delhi	99.3	84.0	80	0.05	10.84	+1.42
UNITED PROVINCES.						
Agra	92.3	77.6	85	0.27	11.82	+2.40
Mainpuri	87.3	74.0	82	..	9.49	+1.31
Jhansi	87.5	76.8	89	0.52	7.86	—5.59
Cawnpore	84.8	77.1	93	1.04	8.66	—2.12
Allahabad	88.4	77.7	85	0.33	20.45	+7.55
SIND & RAJPUTANA.						
Jacobabad	106.7	84.8	62	..	1.00	+0.04
Karachi	87.6	80.8	93	..	0.01	—3.08
Ajmer	96.8	78.4	60	..	14.93	+7.89
Jaipur	92.1	75.1	79	..	17.19	+9.15
Kotah	91.2	76.8	77	..	11.38	+1.83
Mount Abu	69.4	65.2	95	0.18	20.42	—0.59
GUJRAT KATHIAWAR & CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	89.0	79.1	81	..	7.39	+0.88
Dwarka	85.8	80.2	85	..	7.64	—0.65
Veraval	82.6	79.2	87	0.08	15.74	+7.02
Rajkot	92.4	78.6	77	..	14.79	+4.24
Bhavnagar Para	88.6	78.8	75	..	17.04	+8.32
Surat	86.2	76.8	84	0.10	19.35	—2.18
Ahmedabad	92.6	78.1	88	..	14.39	+0.53
Deesa	88.6	76.4	81	0.28	8.62	—0.37
Neemuch	86.1	74.0	89	..	19.07	+6.50
Indore	82.1	78.1	90	0.05	23.38	+10.41
CENTRAL PROVINCES						
Jubbulpore	80.8	73.2	94	1.68	18.55	—8.11
Saugor	81.8	72.6	94	0.95	18.85	+1.91
Hoshangabad	84.7	75.6	93	0.08	18.02	—3.76
Khandwa	80.5	74.1	84	0.11	15.70	+8.77
Akola	88.2	74.5	85	0.08	5.26	—7.65
Amraoti	83.8	73.3	91	0.35	7.24	—5.60
Nagpur	84.5	74.2	91	0.18	11.41	—8.22
Chanda	84.5	75.0	91	1.51	16.20	—4.56
Raipur	79.2	73.7	90	1.25	19.56	—7.92
KONKAN—						
Bombay	85.1	79.0	77	0.14	28.24	—11.86
Ratnagiri	85.9	76.3	88	0.34	33.31	—23.14
Marmugoa	85.1	76.1	91	0.31	47.08	—7.01
Karwar	82.8	78.0	87	0.11	51.85	—16.84
BOMBAY DECCAN & HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	84.8	73.4	69	0.02	2.99	—5.49
Ahmednagar	86.8	72.9	80	..	3.32	—5.04
Poona	82.0	70.1	80	..	9.76	—1.72
Sholapur	88.3	73.9	67	..	1.86	—3.51
Bijapur	85.8	71.4	76	..	4.62	—0.29
Belgaum	78.2	67.6	97	0.35	20.44	—3.55
Aurangabad	85.9	70.6	87	0.30	1.24	—8.34
Nizamabad (Indr).	86.1	72.6	88	0.62	13.48	+0.56
Hyderabad	85.8	73.2	85	..	6.03	—1.33
MALABAR & CEYLON.						
Mangalore	85.5	75.0	88	0.82	74.49	+8.08
Calicut	83.7	76.1	93	0.76	84.63	+27.14
Cochin	86.2	79.4	81	..	64.03	+17.67
Colombo	85.1	78.0	86	..	18.88	+6.90
MADRAS (INCLUDING MALABAR) & MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	97.4	78.9	68	0.05	4.82	—4.42
Bellary	86.5	75.5	89	..	0.70	—3.04
Cuddapah	95.0	82.2	54	..	3.90	—3.15
Madras	88.9	84.2	62	..	1.40	—3.38
Bangalore	83.7	67.7	80	..	3.72	—2.24
Coimbatore	88.6	72.5	65	..	3.52	—0.35
Trichinopoly	96.3	81.0	55	..	0.23	—1.31
Negapatam	95.0	81.4	68	..	0.70	—1.67

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometer:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and the level of the tide at 6-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 23rd July 1920 was 29.751 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased 0.13 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg.

In case of the aneroid the temperature correction is needed but for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide in the stream at 6-42 a.m., Standard Time the ship's barometer readings should be increased by 0·1 inch for every 16 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

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INDIAN WOMEN'S PROBLEM.

MR. G. K. DEVDHAR'S LECTURE.

Mr. G. K. Devadhar, delivered a public lecture under the auspices of the Bombay Presidency Women's Council, at the rooms of the Council on "Women Problem and the Scheme of the Poona Seva Sadan", on Thursday evening, under the presidency of Lady Freeland.

The speaker said the problem of woman in India is the problem of making her an efficient member of society to make her. It is one of the most vital and momentous, of National problems, because as in every society so in India woman occupied pre-eminently a very big place in its working. It is therefore one of the most important of the national problems. It is also pre-eminently a social problem and that being so the question was how to better her position in society.

The solution—he said—lay in three or four factors. The first is one of education, the second of broad culture, the third and a very important factor is one of economic independence and last there is the factor of equal citizenship. These remarks, he said, did not apply to women in cities like Bombay, but they were certainly not the specimens of hte womanhood that could be met with in villages, who formed the majority of the community. The mapority is steeped in ignorance and it is that ignorance which stood in the way of their social economic and national advancement. If the women is to maintain her position or ground of self-respect and equality she must enjoy a certain measure of economic independence.

THE POONA SEVA SEDAN.

Turning to the Poona Seva Sadan, Mr. Devadhar said:—

The Institution was started in 1909 by Mrs. Ramabai Ranade and himself as the result of his own experience of Relief Work connected with Plague, Famine, and Fire, during which campaigns a great need for women workers trained in Social Service was keenly felt by him which he discussed with many ladies and gentlemen at several preliminary meetings in Poona. A few other devoted ladies and gentlemen in Poona by name Mrs. Anapurnabai Apte, Mrs Janakibai Bhat, Mrs Yamunabai Bhat, Dr. P. V. Shikhare, and Dr. V. C. Gokhale, came forth to co-operate whole-heartedly at a later stage. It was now working independently thought for a part of the early period it was conducted as a branch of the Bombay Seva Sadan. Its main object was to render grown up and poor but respectable women self-reliant and to train them for missionary or scial service, undertaking educatinal and medical work for their poor sisters and brethren, especially in backward areas, as soon as circumstances permitted, in a thoroughly non-sectarian spirit. Thus, the instruction imparted by the institution had necessarily to be almost free except in the Music Classes.

ACTIVITIES OF THE SEVA SADAN.

There were seven departments sub-divided into 47 classes:—

I. Arrangements were now made by the Society by giving ample facilities for the training of Indian Women as Nurses and Midwives at the Sassoon Hospital, Poona, for the examinations of the Bombay Presidency Nursing Association. A hostel was maintained for them. Besides, there would soon be started a separate hostel for those ladies who have taken the Sub-Assistant Surgeons' course at the B. J. Medical School attached to the same Hospital, which prepares students the L.C.P.S. Diploma. There were at 45 women to-day in these two hostels studying for three distinct medical courses. The results of this department had been so far very satisfactory.

II. There is, besides, a *Training College* called *Bai Botlibai Wadia Training College*, with 113 women, which number had risen from 6 in 1914, for the purpose of training poor women as Mistresses for Girls' Primary Vernacular Schools.

II. There was an efficient and well-equipped Practising School for little girls attached to the Training College which had now 185 students reading up to the Marathi VI Standard. Here, English was taught from the beginning in the three top classes and children are taught kindergarten by a lady teacher trained at the Sholapur Kindergarten School.

IV. There were the *Primary Classes for Grown up women* teaching up to the Marathi 5th Standard. They were attended by 150 women. It was mainly here that poor women were recruited for their training as either a teacher, Nurse, or Widwife.

V. *Special classes for teaching English* up to the V or VI Reader were maintained, specially for the benefit of women taking the three above-named medical courses, including the Sub-Assistant Surgeons course. They are attended by over 66 women

N.B. Besides there were classes for lectures in *First Aid, Home Nursing*, etc., etc. There are attended by a large number of women students *and* members who are mothers.

VI. The Work-room or *Domestic Industries* classes for teaching Sewing, Embroidery, Hosiery, and Weaving were availed of by over 101 women.

VII. The *Music Classes* were taken advantage of by 83 women students, a large proportion coming from the High School for Indian girls.

STRENGTH OF THE INSTITUTION.

The total number of women and girls on the rolls to-day was 741 including about 150 duplications. The number might soon grow to 800. The Institution maintained one more hostel, with 45 inmates who were very poor women. These four hostels were so arranged that rich as well as poor women could receive adequate facilities for their education. Another interesting feature of the institution was that the very large proportion of women teachers that were engaged in carrying on the work along with male teachers were mostly trained by the institution in their respective spheres. The total number of paid teachers to-day was about 70 and 45 of these were women. Besides, there were half a dozen honorary workers both men and women. Barring these regular department of work where instruction was imparted from one to five hours every day according to the nature of the study there were several side activities such as (a) Weekly lectures arranged for the benefit of members and students of the institutions, (b) active help given to start branches or associated institutions (c) regular medical inspection of ladies attending classes, (d) starting of Infant and child welfare centres (e) Regular Relief campaigns undertaken in connection with famines and epidemics. (f) yearly excursions for educational purposes made and a number of students sent out in company with men and women teachers as was done this year by bringing a party of 45 to Bombay

NEED FOR PERMANENT FUND.

The property of the Institution, thanks to the generosity of Sir Vithaldas D. Thackersy, Kt., the Wadia Charities, Bombay Government, and other Charitable persons in Bombay and the Deccan, consisted of three big buildings worth about Rs. 1,50,000 to-day. Besides, for the two Hostels in charge of the Nursing Committee assisted by Lady Visittors' Committee, a big bunglow had been rented for which Rs. 100 was paid every month. For this work the Society had recently purchased a house near the Sassoon Hospital for Rs. 15,000 out of which Sir Vithaldas had generously contributed a sum of Rs. 10,000 in addition to the sum of Rs. 50,000 for the purchase of a big building and its extensive repairs. Still more accommodation was immediately needed to meet the growing wants of the whole organization. A Building scheme had been prepared with a view to meeting its immediate requiremens. It was estimated to cost a sum of Rs. 3,00,000 to day. The society had not been able to create so far any Permanent Fund in raising which public support would be earnestly sought and enlisted.

There was a Council of Management consisting of ladies and gentlemen to guide and supervise the affairs of the Society.

Thus, by gradual steps since 1909, the Poona Seva Sadan had developed now into an *organization* called the Poona Seva Sadan Society duly registered in 1917 under the Act XXI of 1860. It promoted medical, literary, industrial and musical instruction among women especially poor in India; it gave them ample facilities for professional training as sub-assistant surgeons, nurses, and midwives, by special arrangements at well-equipped hospitals as at present at the Sassoon Hospital, Poona; it maintains departments to get them trained as teachers, governesses, needlecraft women, harmonium and singing teachers, etc., etc., and it fostered among them ideas and habits of social usefulness and national service suited to the present day requirements of the modern society.

This was the simple story of a very humble beginning of work meant for the uplift of India's women and the solution of the woman's problem in India in a practical manner.

Lady Freeland in the course of her presidential remarks said the picture drawn by Mr. Devadhar of what they had done in Poona was encouraging and inspiring to them. Concluding she said the other day Mr. Joshi had told them that the chief foundation of women in India was Motherhood and what India wanted was an intelligent mother and so she said, every measure started for the uplift of women in India desired the support of them all.

MYSORE CIVIL SERVICE ASSOCIATION.

SIR M. VISWESARAYA HON. MEMBER

(Associated Press.)

BANGALORE, July 23.

At the annual meeting of the Mysore Civil Service Association to-day, Mr. B. T. Kesava Iyengar, Honorary Secretary, in his report stated that the membership of the Association, which was 90 at the commencement, increased to 114 during the year and stands at present at 109 owing to five resignations due to retirement of officers or other causes. He also stated that Sir M. Viswesaraya took great interests in the inauguration of the Association and accepted the honorary membership of the Association. The Association maintains a journal, which is printed at the Government Press, free of cost, and out of its income the Association contributes a minimum of 25 per cent. to a special fund organised for the benefit of the members of association or their families in case of need.

A Calcutta message, dated July 22 says:—The London New York cross rate on the 21st July was 38½.

The Calcutta Telegraph Office notifies that owing to the total breakdown of Calcutta-Bombay wires near Jharsagura and Calcutta-Madras wires near Cuttack due to floods, the traffic between Calcutta and Bombay, and Calcutta and Madras is liable to serious delay.

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HARTAL
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PROTEST
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PRAYERS & MEETINGS.

Although every effort is being made to secure revision of the Peace Terms, it appears to be almost certain that it will not come before the first of August next. The Committee desires to mark the sacred character of the forthcoming demonstration of Non-Co-operation in a fitting manner. It also wishes to gauge the public feeling in the matter. The Committee, therefore, seeks the co-operation of Hindus and other Non-Moslem Communities in making the inauguration a complete success.

(1) The Committee advise full *hartal* on the first of August. Mill-hands, however, are requested not to abstain from work, unless they receive permission from their employers, nor should all those abstain who are required, for absolutely necessary day-to-day work, viz., hospital men, sanitary men and dock labourers. (2) The day should be devoted to prayer. All those, who can, should fast for the day. (3) Meetings should be held all over country not excluding the smallest village at which the following resolution should be adopted with or without speeches.

THE RESOLUTION.

"This meeting held at ——— of the inhabitants records its full sympathy with the movement of the Central Khilafat Committee in order to secure revision of the Turkish Peace Terms, consistently with Muslim sentiment and Islamic Law and approves of Non-Co-operation adopted by the Central Khilafat Committee to be continued till the Peace Terms are revised. This meeting respectfully urges the Imperial Government in the interest of the Empire which they are supposed to represent to secure a just revision of the Terms which have been universally condemned as unjust and manifestly in breach of Ministerial declarations". The resolution should be sent to his Excellency the Viceroy with a covering letter requesting him to forward the same to the Imperial Government. The Central Khilafat Committee should be advised of the passing of the resolution and of its despatch.

NOT A MOVEMENT OF CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE.

N. B.—There should be no processions. Speeches should be restrained. It is expected that meetings everywhere will be very largely attended. All police and other Governmental instructions or regulations should be strictly, and scrupulously, obeyed. No meetings should be held where there is any written prohibition. It cannot be too often urged that the whole success of the Movement depends upon perfect peace being observed by the community and complete obedience being rendered to police instructions in connection with the movement. It should be clearly understood that this is not a movement of Civil Disobedience. What should be done when unreasonable orders are issued interfering with the liberty of the subject will be considered on the merits by the Committee.

RENOUNCE TITLES.

It is expected that all title holders, Honorary Magistrates, Justices of Peace, Members of the Legislative Councils, who feel about this important question affecting the well-being of millions of Muslims, and who are in sympathy with the movement, will surrender their titles or honorary posts on this day.

(Sd.) M. K. GANDHI,
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SHAUKAT ALI,
AHMED HAJI SIDDICK KHATRI,
SAIFUDDIN KITCHLEW,
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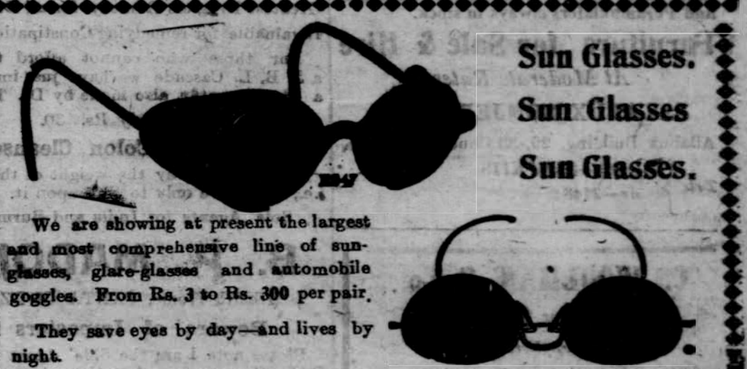

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Christ Church, Byculla.—7 a.m. Holy Communion; 7-45 a.m. Matins; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral), 6-30 p.m. Evensong.

St. John the Evangelist (Afghan Memorial Church), Colaba.—8 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral); 10 a.m. Parade Service and Matins; 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Emmanuel Church (C.M.S.), Girgaum.—English Services—8-0 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon; Collections for the Church Expenses and Poor. Marathi Service at 9-30 a.m.; Gujarati Service 2-30 p.m.

St. Paul's Church, Kamatipura.—10 a.m. Tamil Service (Holy Communion on alternate Sundays).

St. Mary the Virgin, Part I—8-15 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral); 5-15 p.m. Sunday School; 6 30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

St. Nicholas' Church, opposite Prince's Dock.—10 a.m. Holy Communion; 7-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Holy Trinity Church, Hornby Road.—8 a.m., Morning Prayer; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Cross, Oomarkhadi.—6-30 a.m. Holy Communion (English); 7-30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon (Marathi); 9 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon (Gujerati); †-30 p.m. Evening Service and Sermon. Marathi Service at 9-30 a.m.; Gujarati Service at 2-30 p.m.

The Good Shepherd, Dharavi.—7-30 a.m. Holy Communion or Matins, alternately; 5-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon, Tamil Service.

St. Andrew's Church, Morland Road.—(Marathi and Gujarati). 7-30 a.m. Matins; 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Gujerathi Service; 5 p.m. Urdu Evensong and Sermon; 4-30 p.m. Marathi Evensong and Sermon.

St. Peter's Mazagon.—6-30 a.m. Holy Eucharist; 7-15 a.m. Matins and Litany; 8 a.m. Choral Eucharist; 6-30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

All Saints Church, Malabar Hill.—8 a.m. Matins; 8-30 a.m. Holy Communion; 6-30 p.m. Evensong.

ROMAN, CATHOLIC.

The Cathedral, Kalbadevi—7 and 8-30 a.m. Masses; 5-30 p.m. Evening Service.

The Holy Name, Wodehouse Road.—6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 6-30 p.m.

St. Anne's, Byculla.—6-30 a.m., 7-30 a.m., 8-30 a.m., 6-30 p.m.

St. Ignatius, Jacob Circle.—Masses: 6 a.m., 7 a.m., 8-30 a.m.; Evening Service 6 p.m. (Week days: 6-30 a.m. 7 a.m.).

Rosary Church, Mazagon.—5-30 a.m., 7 a.m., 8-30 a.m., p.m.

Gloria Church, Parel Road, Byculla.—Hours of Mass 5-30, 7, 8, and 9 a.m. Evening Service at o'clock.

Holy Cross Church, Lower Parel.—5-30 a.m., 6-30 a.m., Mass: 8-30 a.m. High Mass; 6-30 p.m. Benediction.

Church of N. S. de Salvacao, Dadar.—Masses at 5 a.m., 6-30 a.m., 7-45 a.m. and 9-30 a.m.

Cavel Church (Our Lady of Health).—Mass 7 and 8-30 a.m.

Mount Mary's Bandra Hill.—9-30 a.m. Mass.

St. Anne's Chapel, Palli Hill, Bandra—7 a.m. Mass and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament. Week days 6-45 a.m.

Church of St. Francis Xavier, Dabul.—5, 5-30 6-30 7-30, 8-30 and 10-30 a.m. Masses; 6 p.m Benediction.

St. Teresa's Chapel, Girgaum.—6-30 a.m. and 7-30 a.m. (Children's Mass); 8-30 a.m., 5-30 p.m. Evening Service.

St. Joseph's, Colaba.—8 a.m. Mass and Sermon; 6-30 p.m. Service and Benediction.

St. Joseph's, Umarkhadi.—7 and 8-30 a.m. Masses; 5-30 p.m. Benediction.

Our Lady of Dolours, New Sonapur.—6 and 8 a.m. Mass with Benediction of Blessed Sacrament.

The Church of Immaculate Conception, Mount Poinsur, Borivli.—Mass 8-30 a.m.

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Ambroli Presbyterian Church, Girgaum Back Rod.—Morning Service, in English, 8 a.m.; Gujarathi Service, 9-30 a.m. Marathi Service 5 p.m.

METHODIST.

Wesleyan Church, Colaba Causeway.—9 a.m. Morning Service; 5 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Wesleyan Church, Victoria Gardens.—10 a.m. Morning Service; 5 p.m. Sunday School; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Wesleyan Marathi Mission.—8-15 a.m. Morning Service Byculla; 9-30 a.m. Sunday School Parel; 4-30 p.m. Evening Service, Parel.

Taylor Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church. Clare Road, Byculla.—8-30 a.m. Sunday School; 9-45 a.m. Morning Service; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

Bowen Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church Lansdowne Road, Apollo Bunder:—9-45 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Morning Service; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

BAPTIST.

Baptist Church (opposite Post Office), Middle Colaba.—9 a.m. Morning Service; 6-30 p.m. Evening Service.

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Hume Memorial Church, New Nagpada Road, Byculla.—9 a.m. Sunday School; 4-30 p.m. Marathi Service.

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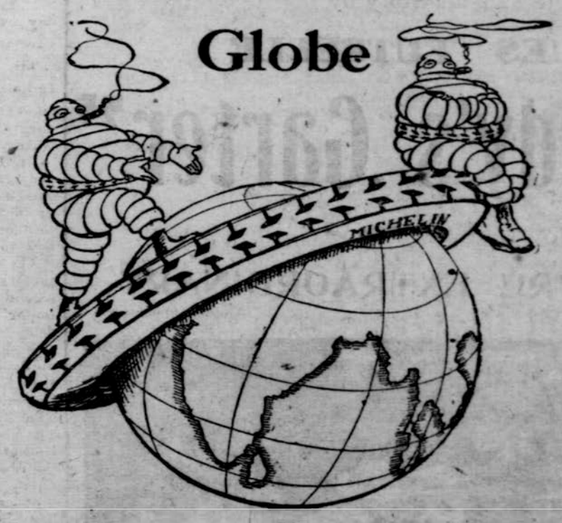

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LIFE VS. INDUSTRY.

DESTRUCTION OF CATTLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—It is with extreme regret and sorrow that I have to draw the attention of your humane readers to a trade very similar to that of butcher's and to which the refined name of industry is given. The industry is nothing worse than taking from us the living cattle and depriving us of their nectar-like life giving articles, viz., milk, curd, ghee, etc., on which the lives of our countrymen greatly depend. On one side we read in the Press the havoc made by the indiscriminate slaughter of the milch and agricultural cattle, and the deterioration of our country that loses its cattle wealth, and also the protests of the various institutions for this undesirable act of self interested persons, as well as appeals to the Governments, both Imperial and Provincial, to prohibit the slaughter of milch and agricultural cattle, while; on the other hand, what we read from an advertisement appeared in papers like, "The Times of India" that a few Europeans are going to start with the help of the Government a slaughter-house at Ratona, near Sagour for killing animals for their newly started concern called "The Central Provinces Tanning and Trading Co., Ltd." the objects of which are as under, according to the prospectus published in the "Times of India."

"The Tannery will be equipped to tan and finish 1,250 to 1,500 hides daily and in addition the Company will build and operate a Bye-products factory to deal with 1,000 carcases daily."

"The Company will not tan or deal with pigskins in any manner." "Until 1914, the bulk of the Indian kids exported were, after being dried, shipped to Germany and tanned for the European market. *With the special facilities this Company will enjoy in the Central Provinces with a large modern slaughter-house adjoining its tannery and supplying well flayed fresh hides* (italics are mine) it will be possible not only to carry on the industry previously in the hands of Germany, but to turn out a quality of finished leather which could not be produced from dried hides." "The slaughter-house will be built on lines which have been found *most humane* (*italics are mine*) and sanitary in Europe. It will be arranged so, that one beast shall not be slaughtered in sight of another."

"The Bye-products Factory is to be fitted with the most up-to-date plant for the production of fertilizers, tallow, etc., of which there is a world shortage. This factory will also produce for the Tannery a special grease at present unobtainable in India, which is essential for the manufacture of the highest class boot upper leather."

It is further stated in the prospectus that the Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from Messrs. Devonport and Co., a lease from the Government of Central Provinces and Berar of 843 acres of land at Ratona, near Saugor, C.P. on which land the Company are to erect at the *expense of the Government* (italics are mine), a large up-to-date slaughter-house in connection with the jerked meat trade at present carried on at Saugor District and at Ghatera in the Damoh District."

The prospectus talks of the world's shortage of tallow, etc. But do the promoters of the Company know the real hardships of the poor Indians, who hardly get pure and good milk even by paying exhorbitant price in these critical days? How is it that our benign British Government forgets the shortage of cattle in this country and the increasing infant mortality in India? Daily a slaughter of 1,200 to 1,500 animals means the deprivation of our cattle wealth in an enormous degree. When we are crying for saving animals on one hand what do we understand from this prospectus—An yearly loss of 4,38,000 beasts! I cannot say definitely that all the milch and **agricultural cattle** will be killed but there is no exception to this kind of cattle and **that causes a great** apprehension from the country's economic point of view. As a humanitarian, even the destruction of an ant is painful to me and to my other humane brothers. Will the benign Government after looking to these deplorable facts kindly take stringent measures to discourage or rather entirely stop this trade? What we now want as our country's need, is the preservation and protection of cattle. I appeal **most earnestly to the** Hon. members of the Councils—both European and Indian, to vigorously take up this question and also to my countrymen and newspapers to raise protests for this butcher-like trade which, in my humble opinion, is detrimental both to the Government and the people, from economic point of view.—Yours, etc.

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GOVT. TO TENANTS' RESCUE

CHECK TO LANDLORDS' FALSE PLEA.

The Bombay "Government Gazette" publishes a Bill further to amend the Bombay Rent (War Restrictions) Act, 1918, and to amend the Bombay Rent (War Restrictions, No. 2) Act, 1918.

It provides for the following insertions after section 10 of the Bombay Rent (War Restrictions) Act, 1918:—

When any order for the recovery of possession of any premises has been made under sub-section (2) of section 9 on the ground that the premises are reasonably and *bona fide* required by the landlord either for the erection of buildings, or for his own occupation or for the occupation of any person for whose benefit the premises are held, and the premises are not used for the erection of buildings or occupied by the aforesaid persons within six months of the order, or are relet within the same period to any person other than the original tenant, the court by which the order was made, may, on the application of the original tenant, place him in occupation of the premises on the original terms and conditions and direct payment to him by the landlord of such compensation as the court may think fit."

In section 16 of the Bombay Rent (War Restrictions, No. 2) Act, 1918, hereinafter called the said act, for the words "swear or affirm whether the standard rent has or has not been fixed under this act and, if he swears or affirms that the standard rent has been so fixed, unless he produces a copy of an order in that behalf in force whether under any rule made under section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, or under this act," the following words shall be substituted:—

"produce a copy of an order in force, whether under any rule made under section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, or under this act, determining that the premises are not small premises or fixing their standard rent."

In sub-section (1) of section 17 of the said act for the words "state in the plaint whether the standard rent has or has not been fixed under this act, and if he states that it has been so fixed he shall annex to the plaint a copy of the order in that behalf in force whether under any rule made under section 2 of the Defence of India Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, or under this act," the following words shall be substituted:—

"annex to the plaint a copy of an order in force, whether under any rule made under section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, or under this act, determining that the premises are not small premises or fixing their standard rent."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of the amendment made by clause 2 of this Bill is to prevent a landlord from recovering possession of any premises on the false plea that the premises are reasonably and *bona fide* required for the erection of buildings or for his own occupation or the occupation of any person for whose benefit the premises are held.

The object of the amendments is to provide that no distress warrant shall be issued in the case of premises of which the monthly rent does not exceed Rs. 30 and that no suit shall be entertained in the case of any premises unless the applicant or the plaintiff, as the case may be, produces an order which will show their standard rent or that they are not small premises.

THE SHAIK SULLA BRIDGE AT POONA

The Director of Public Information sends us the following for publication:

Up to the present time the development of the City of Poona has undoubtedly been hampered and retarded by the lack of adequate communication across the river Hutha It is true that this difficulty has not affected development on the south side of the town, but any growth in that direction would necessarily have been growth away from the railway. The natural and obvious direction for growth is towards Bhamburda, and the first necessity for this was an adequate bridge. Government action has now been taken to meet this need, and what will prove to be the finest bridge in a town of impressive bridges is now under construction, giving through connection between the heart of Poona and its new residential area.

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The great crowds which poured into the mosques and churches on Friday last to offer special prayer to the Almighty for the success of the efforts of the Delegation showed by their attitude that the sincerity and depth of their political convictions are not of such a nature as to arouse any ill-considered hatred of the English people, but on the contrary they besought the Almighty in prayer to make of the English people an ally and not an enemy.

Bearing in mind the declarations made by Lord Milner and his colleagues to certain Egyptian statesmen who took upon themselves the task of preparing an entente it would appear comparatively easy for the two parties to come to a satisfactory agreement. For the Egyptians and their Delegation quite readily admit that Great Britain has real interest in Egypt and requires certain guarantees which it would be poor grace on our part to contest.

Differences may, however, arise at any moment (though Lord Milner's declarations on questions of principle do not lead one to suppose that they will arise) if the existence of these interests and the necessity for guarantees are made the pretext for placing Egypt under a domination of one kind or another, which this country will not suffer. As a matter of fact there is nothing which should prevent the proper exercise of our internal and external sovereignty, even though it be necessary and proper that the route to India be protected, and that Great Britain take over the privileges and rights secured to the Powers in Egypt, or even that Great Britain considers it necessary to secure certain strategic and military guarantees in the form of an alliance between it and this country.

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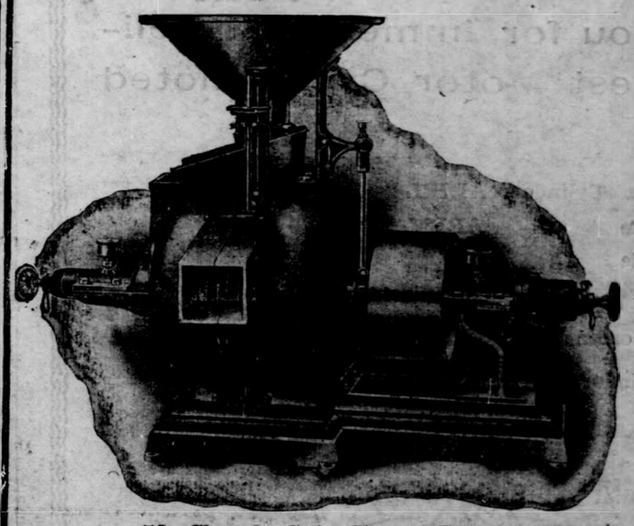

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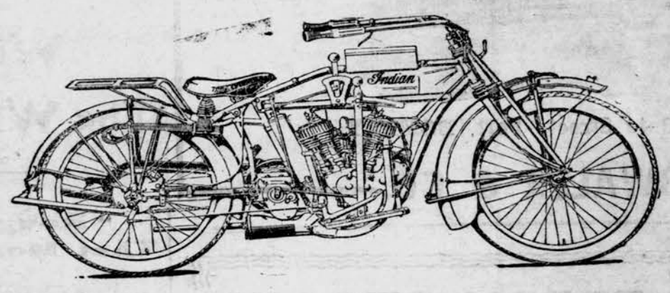

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